

DYER HAS REPORT
OF INVESTIGATION
OF LEWIS' BANK

Postal Inspectors Furnish Federal District Attorney Their Findings in \$2,500,000 Mail Order Institution, Published in Post-Dispatch.

THEY SUGGEST LAYING
IT BEFORE GRAND JURY

Pending Review of the Papers Col. Dyer Has Not Decided What Course He Will Pursue in the Matter.

The report of the postoffice inspectors on the operations of E. G. Lewis, \$2,500,000 People's United States Bank, previously submitted to the Postoffice Department with a request for the issuance of a fraud order against the concern, has been submitted with all the papers in the case to United States District Attorney Dyer.

This action was in accordance with the statement made by the Postoffice inspectors at the time that the report was submitted to Washington that they would put the matter before the United States District Attorney for the purpose of enabling him to take such action before the grand jury as he should deem fit.

The documents submitted to Col. Dyer are the same as those which have heretofore been published in the Post-Dispatch, and go into the details of the investigation of the bank as made by the Postoffice inspectors.

"The same thing has been done in this case by the Postoffice inspectors," said Mr. Dyer, "as is usually done in such cases. They have submitted to me a copy of the report which they sent to Washington. I have not yet had an opportunity to read the report, and until I do I cannot determine in my own mind whether or not to take any action. It may be several days before I look into the matter."

SECRETARY SWANGER IS
HERE TO SEE LEWIS

Secretary of State Swanger came to St. Louis Wednesday for the purpose of presenting the demands of the State Department to the directors of the People's United States Bank.

He left the Southern Hotel at 8 a. m., accompanied by State Bank Examiner Cook. President Lewis of the People's Bank said that Mr. Swanger had not called on him this morning.

AND STILL COOLER TONIGHT

Forecaster Sees Northerly Winds Bearing Down This Way, With Fair Weather.

The local weather forecaster, rendered dependent by the failure to arrive of the thunderstorms which he has been predicting for two days, today took another tack and veered around to "fair and cooler."

"He does not hold out even a hope of a shower. His official statement is:

"Fair tonight and Thursday; cooler tonight, moderate temperature Thursday; northerly winds."

The "cooler" began to arrive shortly after last midnight, and the weather official does not expect any 90-degree temperature today. At midnight it was 80 degrees; at 7 o'clock it had dropped to 64 degrees, and at 10 o'clock it had risen to 74 degrees.

The country north of the Ohio and west of the Mississippi is generally cooler, while there is still a warm time in the South. Nashville, Tenn., and Galveston, Tex., held the record this morning at 82 degrees. Showers have fallen in the northern section of the country.

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Your Store

In the Smallest Way

In the WANT COLUMNS of the

Post-Dispatch

Get you into "the company of the prosperous," and it is the only kind of company you can afford to keep in the business world.

"Your druggist is our Want Ad Agent."

Will you be in tomorrow's Post-Dispatch?

JUNK MERCHANT
CHOKEN UT \$7000
ON "SURE THING"

St. Louisan Hastened to Chicago as the Moneyed Man of Scheme to Beat Bookmakers Out of Fortune by "Wire-Tapping."

POLICE OF TWO CITIES
TRYING TO FIND MONEY

Caught by Alluring "Ad" He Confidently Bet His "Pile," and He Hasn't Seen It or His Fellow Plotters Since.

Max Cohen has returned from Chicago where he lost \$7000 on an ingenious scheme whereby he thought to win vast sums of money from the Chicago bookmakers on the races.

Cohen is a wealthy wholesale junk dealer. He has extensive yards and warehouses at Twenty-third and Gratiot streets and a handsome residence at 1501 Hickory street.

The game of which Cohen felt victim was the old "wire tapping" scheme. Now he has invoked the aid of the police of both St. Louis and Chicago to arrest the men who fleeced him and to restore his money.

"Party holding position with the largest corporation of its kind in the West wants partner with \$2000 cash where \$20,000 can be made in next ten days."

This advertisement Sunday, May 28, was the opening wedge of negotiations.

When Cohen read the alluring advertisement he had his stenographer indite a reply. This brought forth a personal visit from the advertiser. The man said his name was Potosoleky, and that he was particularly pleased to meet Mr. Cohen, for his parents and the parents of Mr. Cohen were old friends in Europe. The stranger talked so glibly of the family relations that Cohen never doubted him.

The conversation, in Cohen's private office, had not gone far until the stranger told Cohen that the scheme was one whereby they could make unlimited money on playing the races.

The stranger told him he had arrangements with a telegraph office in Chicago whereby they could receive advance information in the result of the races.

Cohen Tells of Scheme.

There were other conversations at Cohen's home. No one else was present at these conversations. Cohen told his wife and stenographer that he had a big scheme on whereby he was going to get rich in a short time.

"The scheme," said Cohen to a Post-Dispatch reporter, "was to go to Chicago and I was to furnish the money to bet on the races. I was introduced to a man who was said to be the telegraph assistant superintendent. They explained that the superintendent would manipulate the wires that each race would be held for two minutes in the telegraph office after being received from the track, and the fourth race, where we were to make the 'killing,' was to be eight minutes behind."

"The man and I got a room at the Grand Pacific Hotel. He was with me all the time. I never got out of his sight until after I had lost the \$7000. We saw the man who said he was the assistant superintendent, and all was fixed. We patronized a drug store at Sixteenth street and Michigan avenue in Chicago, so we could use their telephone without attracting attention."

"There was a room nearby where there were some telegraph instruments, and we got information both over this wire and over the telephone. We left St. Louis on Wednesday. On Thursday we got our information all right and just to try the scheme I was to put \$200 up on a certain horse. But when we tried to get up the minute late and they would not take the money."

"But they showed me the information was right, and the horse won all right. The next day, Friday, we watched the game. That is, the others did. I did just what they told me. The fourth race was the big race, and they said that was the one we should make the killing on. They said there was no use in putting up a small bet."

"The wires brought in the information that 'Evander' had won. We had nearly eight minutes to get up the money. The man was in a hurry."

"Give me all the money you have," he said, "and I will get it up on 'Evander.' There is no risk and we will win a big war, half of which is for you and the other half for me. But we did not have the money. I got the late editions of the papers, but I could see nothing of 'Evander.' The wires had no such horse in the race. But I did not know. I never did know anything about the race."

"I had a program mapped out where we were going to make a big bet. But we did not have the money. I got the late editions of the papers, but I could see nothing of 'Evander.' The wires had no such horse in the race. But I did not know. I never did know anything about the race."

"I waited around the hotel, thinking to see some of the men who were in on the scheme with me. But they did not show up. I went to the place that I thought was the poolroom, but there were none of them there. I got the late editions of the papers, but I could see nothing of 'Evander.' The wires had no such horse in the race. But I did not know. I never did know anything about the race."

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PENNED DIVER,
RESCUED, DIED OF
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Daniel Hayes Took Into Stomach and Lungs Black Fluid Easing Pump That Forced Life-Saving Air to Him.

HELD UNDER MISSISSIPPI
24 HOURS BY IRON LID

After Removing Boulder From Drain, Pressure of 1500-Pound Iron Gate and Crushing Water Engulfed Him—His Experience.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

QUINCY, Ill., June 7.—Rescued alive after 24 hours' imprisonment beneath 18 feet of the Mississippi river in a manner that caused the wonder of rivermen, as far as the story was told, Daniel Hayes, Quincy diver, came to his death, so his friends believe, because of a blunder on the part of those trying to help him.

In this city most people who followed the story of the diver's remarkable escape think that he would have survived the experience had he not been compelled to take into his stomach and, to a certain degree, into his lungs, a great quantity of black oil. This oil had been placed about the pump with which life-saving air was being forced down to him. Inexperienced men at the pumps accepted the offer of a farmer to provide oil that would make the pumps work more easily, and, in doing so, probably caused Hayes' death.

Clearing Drainage Pipes.

Saturday afternoon Hayes, in the employ of Adams Bros., Quincy, went to the Lake Levee, opposite Canton, Mo., 15 miles above Quincy, to clear out the drainage pipes leading from Lake Levee to the Mississippi River. Some obstruction in one of the pipes was permitting the water from the river to flow into the lake and the farming country was being flooded.

The method of drainage from the lake to the river is simple, not being in the form of sluice gates, as that term is usually accepted. About 15 or 20 feet below the top of the levee, running through from lake to river, a distance of about 90 feet, are four four-foot iron pipes. On the river side these are fitted with heavy lids, operating on a hinge on the upper side.

When the lake is higher than the river the water flowing out opens this gate; when the river is higher than the lake the water from outside closes the lid and holds it fast by its pressure.

Hayes went down at 2 p. m. to find the cause of trouble.

George Robson and Edward Duffy, working at the pumps, and William White, handling the signal cord, found that Hayes was caught in some manner when three signals to pull him up came in quick succession.

"The men could nothing more than tug at the rope, and they saw in a very few moments that this would not bring Hayes to the surface. He could not be reached by anyone without a diver's suit and there was no other at the levee."

No One Volunteers.

The diving suit worn by Hayes—a complete outfit for river purposes, is the only one at Quincy or in the vicinity. Telegrams were sent to Keokuk, Burlington and Fort Madison, but not until 11 p. m. was a response received, when a diving suit arrived from Maj. Meigs, U. S. Engineer at Keokuk.

Of the men at the levee, none would go down in the suit. One of them had made such trips, but the unanny disappearance of Hayes caused them to lose their nerve.

"Anybody can work in them things," said a river man, "anybody that's got the nerve."

It was believed that Hayes had got caught in the brush around the pipes and that a similar fate might be that of any one who went to his rescue. So his friends could only remain at their station by the pumps, forcing gasp after gasp of the vital oxygen down to the prisoner, not knowing, but hoping that he was still alive.

Hundreds of people had gathered behind it became dark Saturday night, coming from Canton and other small towns and from the surrounding country. Among these was the farmer who volunteered to get some oil for the pump. His offer was accepted and black machinery oil was placed about the air pump.

Expert Diver Arrives.

Sunday morning, following telegraphing and telephoning throughout the surrounding states, Eugene Ferris, expert diver, of Burlington reached the levee. He had come on a special train furnished by the Burlington and arrived at 8 o'clock.

He donned the diving suit and slipped over the edge of the levee. His return was watched for in silent anxiety, the theory of Hayes' entanglement in the brush being held by the spectators, who feared Ferris might be caught in the same manner.

In a few moments, however, Ferris sent up the signal to be drawn to the surface and he was obeyed with great alacrity. He removed the head-covering and said:

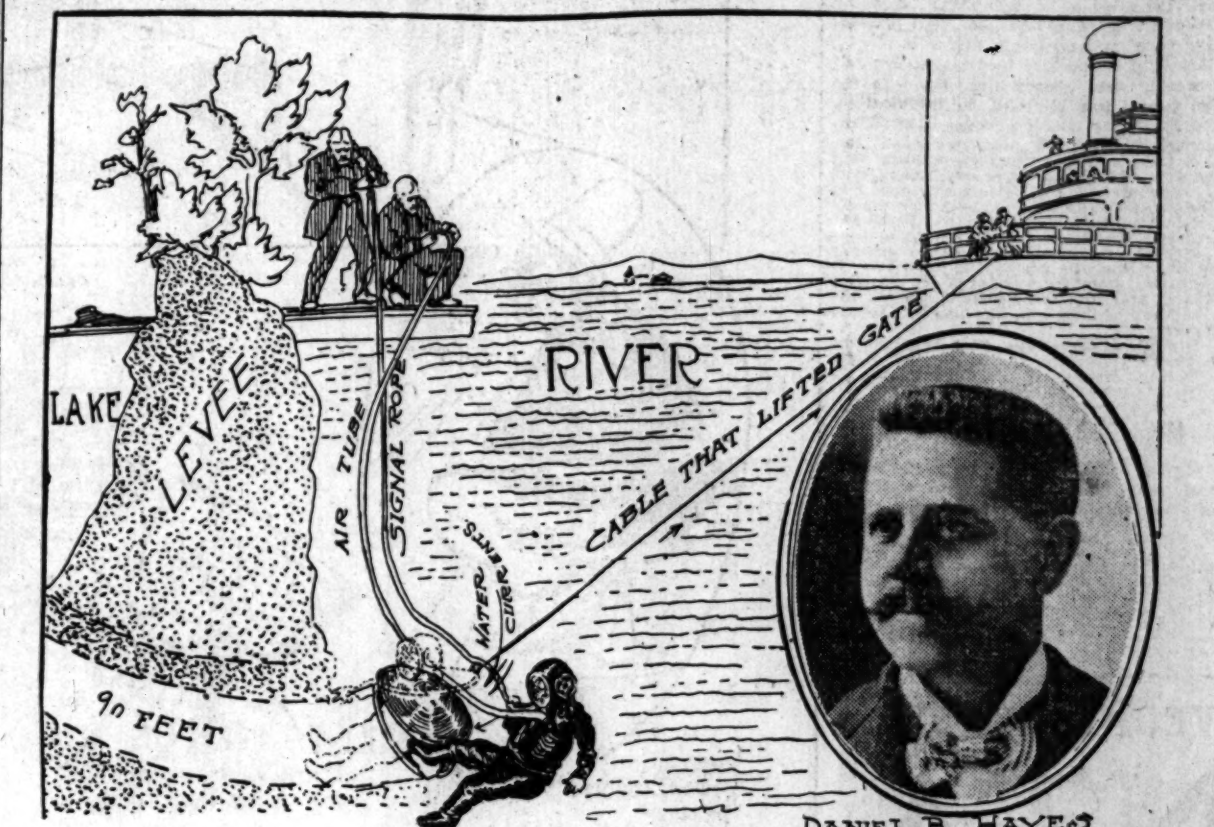
"He's alive! I shook hands with him!"

The great throng cheered again and again when they could bring themselves to believe that it was true.

Ferris reported, however, that Hayes was weighing 150 pounds—had closed on Hayes' body where it was held by the current.

Ferris then set to work. After another trip to the bottom he found that he could not budge the lid. He came up and took

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How Diver Was Pinioned by Lid
of Drain Pipe in Mississippi RiverNORWAY THROWS
OFF ALLEGIANCE
TO SWEDEN RULE

Parliament Declares Union Between the Two Countries Severed and the Authority of King Oscar Null and Void.

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, June 7.—Norway has cut loose from Swedish rule. The Storting, or Norwegian Parliament, declared the union between the two countries dissolved today, repudiated the authority of King Oscar and established a provisional Norwegian Government by empowering the present State Council to exercise, until further notice, the power hitherto vested in the King.

The immediate cause of the present breach between Sweden and Norway is the King's refusal to grant the Storting's demand for separate diplomatic representation for Norway.

The real cause of the trouble is far deeper than this, however.

The dissolution of the union between Sweden and Norway has been pending for some time and had its growth in the desire which grew stronger as time passed for the establishment of the separate consular systems for the two countries.

The King Oscar recently vetoed, at Stockholm, the measure presented to him by the Council of State, providing for separate consular representation, and the Norwegians maintained that the Kings, by so doing, and partly by his absence from Norway, had suspended his rights and duties as King of Norway.

One of the causes for the desire in Sweden and Norway for separate consular systems was the fact that Sweden is protectionist and Norway is for free trade, and also because of Norway's more extensive sea trade and other divergencies of commercial interests.

Whether Sweden will submit quietly to Norway's secession is as yet a question. It is certain that Sweden has not anticipated so radical a move and that the Storting's action will come as a complete surprise to the Swedish Government.

The Storting adopted an address to the King, declaring that no ill-feeling is entertained against him, his dynasty or the Swedish nation, and asking him to co-operate in the selection of a young Prince of the House of Bernadotte to occupy the throne of Norway.

At the opening of the session the Government informed the Storting that it relinquished office from today. The Storting thereupon unanimously and without debate passed the following resolution:

"Whereas, All the members of the Council of State have laid down their offices, and."

"Whereas, His Majesty, the King, has declared himself unable to establish a new Government."

"Whereas, The constitutional royal power thus becomes inoperative, the Storting authorizes the members of the Council of State to retire today to exercise until further notice as the Norwegian Government."

"The Storting, therefore, in accordance with the laws of the constitution and existing laws with those changes which have been made by the Storting in consequence of the King having declined to act as a Norwegian King."

"M. Michelsen, the retiring premier, accepted in behalf of the government the resolution of the Storting, and with which the Storting has entrusted it."

The Storting then proceeded to elect a new King. It is expected that the Storting will issue a proclamation to the effect of nullifying the union with Sweden and the authority of King Oscar.

King Oscar Objects.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, June 7.—King Oscar has sent a telegram to Premier Michelsen, as follows:

"I have received the communication of the Council of State, and record the most decided protest against the method and action of the government."

DIVER HAYES' OWN ACCOUNT
OF HIS TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE

To friends at his bedside in Canton, Hayes told of his experience beneath the water for 24 hours.

"I did not know it was that long," he said, "but I certainly thought it was longer. It seemed an age before I felt Ferris' hand in mine. It will be an age before I ever go down in one of those things again."

"If my first signal had been needed," he said, "I'd have got out all right. Same way with the second time, maybe, but when I had to jerk that rope the third time I felt that it was all got with me."

"It all happened mighty quick, you understand. By the time I had signalled the third time my feet were pulled into the pipe, to take the place of that boulder. By the time they had begun to pull above I was in up to my hips and that lid had me fast."

"Well, I couldn't figure any way that they were going to get me out and I supposed it was up to me to die. It hurt terribly, that lid on my hips, but after awhile my limbs became numb and I don't feel anything. I didn't know it when the current from the river pulled one of my shoes off."

"I was conscious all the time and I was awfully busy thinking. It did not seem strange to me that I would cover so much territory of my past life in the time that I was under water, for it really seemed like months or years that I was down there."

"And say, one of the worst things about it was my thirst. Sitting there under a million tons of water, I was as dry as dust inside."

"When the lid began to seep down it was horrible! Breathing had not been pleasant before, but now it seemed that each breath would be the last, and think of breathing thousands of times feeling that way about it!"

HUTHISING DIVORCE
SUIT DISMISSED

Case Over Philippine Scouts Dropped, Husband Failing to Secure Costs of Proceeding.

WIFE ASKS RECONCILIATION

Huthising, Who Was Complaining, Silent on Reasons for Not Seeking Decree.

The divorce suit of William J. Huthising against Mrs. Letitia May Huthising, which was brought Feb. 27, following a visit of Mrs. Huthising and her daughters, Nellie, May and Marguerite, to Cincinnati to see Judge Reynolds in Division No. 9 of the Circuit Court Wednesday on account of the failure of Huthising to give security for the costs of the proceeding.

Neither Mr. Huthising nor his attorney, H. A. Roskopf, appeared when the case was called. Huthising declined to discuss the case.

Mrs. Huthising and her three daughters left their home, 234 St. Vincent avenue, Feb. 1. They had entertained Philippine Scouts during the summer of 1904. Mrs. Huthising, who was arrested, a gold bracelet, which she was wearing; a small uncut diamond, which was found in her pocket; a small pocketbook, which she was carrying in her hand; an opal ring, a silver chain and a vase, which she said she had given away. The total value of all is said to be not more than \$25.

Mrs. Newman spent Tuesday night in the detention room, weeping bitterly. Her mother is dead and she lives with her grandmother and father at 4123 Macfitt avenue. None of her relatives or friends called on her until Wednesday morning, when Miss Letitia Priest, her own age, of 125 Bell Glade avenue, went to see her and remained locked with her in the detention room for an hour, trying to cheer her up.

Wednesday morning a member of the firm took to the Four Courts a memorandum book which Miss Newman had given to her. It was an indexed diary. Several articles were mentioned in this, but she said she had only made notes of sales.

In this diary were records of her amusements, books she had read, friends she had called on, and friends who had called on her. One notation showed when she had come to a theater with Miss Priest; another showed when Miss Priest called on her; another showed when she went to the Public Library to get "The Prisoner of Zenda"; another showed she had read "God's Good Man" by Marie Corelli; one page contained a list of 30 novels which she had either read or expected to read.

Scattered articles of jewelry carried in stock by the firm. It was these references which led to the discovery that she knew of the disappearance of these articles, but she stoutly maintained that the notes were only those of a representative of a Japanese firm in New York which has been purchasing her material for warware.

The firm not only operated at this port but has shipped tons of war material from Seattle and Victoria.

Yankee Submarines Used by Togo at Tsu Island.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 7.—T. T. Egan of New York, now registered at a local hotel, has been directing the shipment of munitions to Japan. It has been learned that he had charged of the secret shipment to Japan of a fleet of submarines from the battle of Tsu Island.

Egan is the representative of a Japanese firm in New York which has been purchasing her material for warware. The firm not only operated at this port but has shipped tons of war material from Seattle and Victoria.

RUSSIA ASKS
FOR JAPAN'S
PEACE TERMS

Czar's Minister at Washington and Paris Ordered by St. Petersburg Government to Find on What Conditions Mikado Will End War.

EMPEROR'S OFFER IS
IN ROOSEVELT'S HANDS

Ambassador Meyer Holds Long Conference at Tsarkoe-Selo and Then Hastens to Cable the Result to Washington Officials.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 7.—As a result of the meeting of the council of ministers held at the Tsarkoe-Selo, instructions were telegraphed this afternoon to the Russian ambassadors at Washington and Paris, to the effect that Russia is desirous of learning Japan's peace conditions.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 7.—That peace between Russia and Japan is much nearer than at any time since the war began, and that President Roosevelt is now in possession of Russia's terms, is the belief in diplomatic circles here.

United States Ambassador Meyer was received at special audience by the Czar at Tsarkoe-Selo this afternoon and after a long conference hastened to the American Embassy, whence he sent a long cipher dispatch to Washington.

Half an hour later the American diplomat was closeted with Sir Charles Hardinge, the British Ambassador. At the conclusion of the interview both the ambassadors refused to say a word as to the nature of the day's developments, the British diplomat explaining to the Associated Press that the extremely delicate situation required absolute silence as an inadvertent word might upset everything.

This statement in itself is regarded as sufficient to show the important nature of the negotiations.

Yesterday afternoon Foreign Minister Lamsdorf held a conference with the Emperor. At 11 o'clock last night he summoned Ambassador Meyer, following which interview, came the American's visit to Tsarkoe-Selo today.

It is known that pressure is being brought to bear on the Czar by all the powers of Europe, to get him to accept the services of President Roosevelt as a mediator, and the opinion obtains here that today's developments have put Washington in possession of Russia's peace terms.

JAP LOSSES EXCEED
THOSE OF RUSSIANS.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, June 7.—The first approach to an accurate statement of the Russian and Japanese losses in Manchuria is contained in a list of the battles and their casualties, compiled by Gen. Tasker H. Bliss of the general staff.

Some of the information has been gathered by the military information bureau of the War Department. This has been supplemented by data from sources which are not revealed, but which are regarded as authentic.

The number of men engaged and the percentage of losses in each battle, according to the compilation of Gen. Bliss, shows a Russian loss of 127,638 men, or 12.4 per cent. of men engaged. Japanese losses are 128,549 men, or 10.13 per cent. of men engaged. The heaviest loss by either side in any one fight was that of the Japanese at Port Arthur, where the loss was 42.5.

The detailed statement follows:

Tellusai-Russians, 30,000; loss 16 per cent. Japanese, 48,000; loss 2.53 per cent.

Khalhing-Russians, 25,000; loss 6 per cent. Japanese, 60,000; loss 2 per cent.

Fenshuling-Russians, 6000; loss 4 per cent. Japanese, 15,000; loss 4 per cent.

Mellicien-Russians, 15,000; loss 6.5 per cent. Japanese, 20,000; loss 1.4 per cent.

Holoyen-Russians, 9000; loss 4.5 per cent. Japanese, 15,000; loss 2.8 per cent.

Tushichia-Russians, 40,000; loss 3.4 per cent. Japanese, 60,000; loss 2.5 per cent.

Yashulans-Russians, 40,000; loss 5 per cent. Japanese, 45,000; loss 2 per cent.

Liao-yang-Russians, 100,000; loss 8.4 per cent. Japanese, 170,000; loss 6.4 per cent.

Sha River-Russians, 100,000; loss 16.5 per cent. Japanese, 125,000; loss 12.5 per cent.

Sandepe-Russians, 65,000; loss 2 per cent. Japanese, 80,000; loss 14 per cent.

Port Arthur-Russians, 40,000; loss 5.8 per cent. Japanese, 100,000; loss 4.6 per cent.

Mukden-Russians, 60,000; loss 5.8 per cent. Japanese, 200,000; loss 12 per cent.

There are no reliable figures as to the deaths from disease in either army, but they are reported to have been very light among the Japanese and heavy among the Russians.

MISSOURI MINISTER MISSING

Kansas City Clergyman's Son Reports Father Lost in Chicago.

J. L. BLAIR'S ESTATE AMOUNTS TO \$60,000

Executor Has Collected \$88,000 and Has Disbursed \$28,000—Report Is Approved.

The first annual report of the settlement of the estate of the late James L. Blair, who died Jan. 15, 1904, was filed in the Probate Court Wednesday by John F. Lee, executor.

The report shows that the estate comprises notes amounting to \$27,354.12; stocks, \$11,060; cash in bank, \$1,024.70; total balance now on hand, \$39,438.82; disbursements, \$23,438.82; total amount collected, \$88,000.17, including a \$35,000 life insurance policy from the New York Life Insurance Co., and a \$100,000 accident insurance policy from the North American Accident Insurance Co. The settlement also shows the collection of a rebate of \$15.00 on a railroad ticket to Eustice, Fla., where Blair died, the return ticket not having been used. One share of Country Club stock, costing its original holder, Blair, \$100, was sold to Peyton Carr for \$100.

Another item in the report was that of \$118.70 received from Edward S. Robert, March 17, 1904, in payment of two notes of Susan E. Blow, aggregating \$1190, with interest amounting to \$38.70, which had not been included in the inventory of the estate.

Judge Crews of Probate Court approved the report.

DYNAMITER IS PARDONED.

Fred Northway Has Served Part of Eight-Year Term.

Tuesday afternoon Gov. Folk commuted the sentence of Fred Northway, who was sent to the penitentiary to serve a sentence of eight years for placing dynamite in a cable conduit under the Maryland avenue street car tracks during the street car strike several years ago, and he will be released on June 10.

When Northway was arrested two other men, Morris Brennan and Joseph Swartz, were arrested with him. Swartz jumped his bond and went to California where he met a violent death. Brennan also jumped his bond and is still a fugitive from justice.

CHEAP, EFFECTIVE, PALATABLE.

APENTA

HUNGARIAN NATURAL APERIENT WATER

A Wineglassful a Dose.

The Analysis shows that the richness of Apenta Water in natural saline aperients renders it the safest and most remedial laxative and purgative. READ THE LABEL.

WIFE REFUSES NEW DRESS—ASKS DIVORCE

Charles Scheitlin, Answering Petition, Says Mate Also Declines to Bring Cheer to Home.

Failure to accept a new gown which he offered her is one of the reasons offered by Charles Scheitlin for asking the courts to grant him, and not his wife, Ida Scheitlin, a divorce.

Mrs. Scheitlin on May 11 filed a petition for divorce. His charges that his wife for five years was addicted to intoxication, and that after taking a pledge of total abstinence she bought goods on his account, sold them and purchased intoxicants with the proceeds. He charges that she refused to bring cheer into their home by means of Christmas presents, even though he offered her the money for their purchase; that she refused a Christmas present offered by him; that she refused to send their 8-year-old daughter, Gladys, to Sunday school, and that she declared she did not love the child because she looked like her father.

Mrs. Scheitlin alleges that her husband is worth \$17,000 and has an income of \$175 a month. She asks for alimony and the custody of their daughter.

MILLERS IN CONVENTION.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 7.—Millers from many parts of the United States are in attendance today at the opening of the third annual convention of the Millers' National Federation.

The annual address of President Eschschied of St. Louis and the announcement of standing committees took up the time of the first session.

One of the important questions that will come up before the convention finishes its work is the better protection in bills of lading for flour.

HOT TIPS FOR HOT FOLKS IN HOT WEATHER

(Chief Dispensary Physician Scheitlin's Rules for Avoiding Heat Prostration.)

RULE 1
WEAR LOOSE CLOTHING.

RULE 2
ABSTAIN FROM ALCOHOLIC DRINKS.

RULE 3
THE LAST MEAL OF THE DAY SHOULD BE SUBSTANTIAL.

RULE 4
IF YOU MUST SMOKE, USE "BABY CORKTIPS."

Some rules for dodging sunstroke have been framed by Dr. Scherck. And it will cost you nothing to determine how they work.

Smoke little, if you smoke at all; eat fruit instead of meat.

And drink ice water slowly, if you would escape the heat.

Wear all your clothing very loose; have them built good and wide. And when you venture on the street, walk on the shady side.

And if, all summer long, you would escape the solar wrath, Don't be afraid, night after night, to take a lukewarm bath.

Avoid intoxicating drinks, and when the mercury mounts, Don't blow your money in on beer, but seek the soda fountains.

And if you will insist on food, when the heat is at its height, Wait until evening, when you have a chance to do things right.

Off on Her French.
From the Boston Transcript.
"Yes," remarked Mrs. Firelight with complacency, "everybody thinks my new furniture is splendid. It is of the Louis Cartier pattern, you know."

MOODY'S "BRIDGE" LETTER WAS LOST

President Kingsland Explains Misunderstanding Between Attorney-General and Manufacturers' Association.

INVITED TO WASHINGTON

Missive Asked St. Louisans to Hear Facts of Alleged Unlawful Monopoly of Facilities.

A lost letter is at the bottom of the lack of understanding between Attorney-General Moody and the St. Louis Manufacturers' Association, in reference to the Merchants' Bridge matter, according to President L. D. Kingsland of that organization.

Dispatches from Washington quote Mr. Moody as saying that he sent a letter April 24 to Mr. Kingsland stating that he would be "pleased to have representatives of different associations interested call at the Department in person at the time a statement of facts covering the existence of an alleged unlawful monopoly of bridge and ferry facilities is submitted."

He complained that he had received no answer to that letter.

"This letter was never received," said Mr. Kingsland, Wednesday. "A letter stating this has been sent to the Attorney-General and request has been made that he indicate when he would like a representative of the association to call on him."

Edwin C. Burt Oxford, \$3.50, \$4.50, G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co., sole agent, 410 Broadway.

THROWN FROM WAGON, KILLED

Former Saloon Keeper Crushed When Wheel Struck Depression.

A coroner's inquest will be held Wednesday over the body of Louis Ahrens of 3335 Manchester avenue, a former saloon keeper who was thrown from a wagon of the Leclaire Fire Brick Co., driven by Henry Meyer, in front of 418 Connecticut street at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

A wheel of the wagon is said to have struck a depression in the street and Ahrens was thrown under the wagon, his body being crushed as the wheels passed over him.

Ahrens was taken to his home, where Dr. Murphy of 605 Manchester avenue, who attended him, recommended that the injured man be taken to the City Hospital. Ahrens died on route there.

Meyer, the driver of the wagon, was detained until after the inquest.

\$1 off on Manhattan Special \$3.50 Tan Oxfords for men at Boehmer's, 410-12 Broadway.

ST. LOUISANS WED ON ROYAL WEDDING DAY

Forty Couples Bearing German Names Seek Good Luck From Crown Prince's Marriage.

St. Louis could not have a royal wedding of its own Tuesday, it being inconvenient to unite Crown Prince Frederick William of the house of Hohenzollern and Duchess Cecilia of Mecklenburg-Schwerin here, but St. Louis had one of the features of that wedding, just as much as Berlin, Düsseldorf or any other German city.

As was done throughout the empire, German couples of St. Louis had "good-luck weddings." To be married on the same day as members of the reigning German family augurs good fortune during married life, persons of German birth believe.

A look at the marriage license book indicates that about 40 St. Louis couples attempted to store up good fortune in that way. That number whose names were German secured licenses. There were only 2 others altogether.

Paul Young Jr., Recorder of Deeds, says several couples told him that they selected Tuesday as their wedding day for that reason.

The Celebrity barefoot sandals cost no more than ordinary sandals. Boehmer.

INCREASE OF INSANITY.

Hot Weather, Liquor and Tobacco Blamed for Mental Troubles.

The effect of hot weather on the brain is shown strikingly by the records in the office of the Board of Health, Frank Miller, secretary of the board, stated Wednesday that 18 cases of insanity now await the board's attention at the weekly meeting Thursday. There will be at least 10 for consideration when the meeting is held, he believes.

This number has accumulated in one week and is greatly in excess of the average number for a week. The sudden coming of a period of severely hot weather is given as the cause for the increase. Twenty per cent of the cases result from alcoholism and the use of tobacco, the reports show.

Her Majesty's Oxfords, \$3.50, G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co., sole agent, 410-12 Broadway.

Turn Down Bill for Light Conduit

The Public Improvements Committee of the House of Delegates reported adversely a bill granting the Emporium Realty Co. the right to construct a conduit across Lucas avenue, west of Sixth street. The Emporium Realty Co. is going to construct the new Grand-Leader building at Sixth and Washington and Lucas avenues.

The company proposes to build an electric plant on the north side of Lucas avenue and convey the power for illuminating the new store through the conduit. Fred Weidner of the Thirteenth Ward is chairman of the committee that reported the bill adversely.

See our windows for reduced prices on boys' and girls' tan shoes. Boehmer, 410 Broadway.

PENNER DIVER, RESCUED, DIED OF OIL HE BREATHED

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a crowbar down with him. This was of no avail. He thought perhaps a wedge could be inserted to hold the lid and that Hayes' body could then be released and allowed to go on through the pipe, to be rescued on the other side. Work of an hour or two convinced him that he could do nothing of that sort. The pressure from the river was too great.

Steam Power Raises Lid.

"It will take steam power to raise that lid," Ferris finally concluded. He sent word to the captain of the ferryboat Cantonias, asking for aid. It was willingly furnished.

Ferris' method of carrying out his idea now that he had hit upon the right one—was simple. He attached a chain to a ring in the lid of the pipe, made the end of this chain fast to a cable and fastened the cable to the steamboat. The owner of a small steam launch volunteered his aid, also, and a second cable was fastened to the launch to do part of the pulling.

When all was ready Ferris dropped down beside the prisoner and gave the signal for the pulling to begin. Both boats had up full steam and, beginning slowly, put on full pressure. The cable tautened until it seemed it would break.

Then came the signal from Ferris to pull him up. Up he came and with him came the form of Hayes.

The big round hood was taken from his head quickly. His face was covered with oil and was swollen, but the man opened his eyes and a faint semblance of a grin was seen on his face.

"Damn!" he said.

"He's alive and can talk!" was the cry that spread, and again the crowds cheered. Hayes' efforts at talking were very feeble at first, however. He was placed on the ferryboat and taken to Canton, where physicians attended him. It was found that his legs were bruised and swollen where pinched by the gate. He complained of pains in his stomach, caused by the oil. Not until some hours later when his blood was beginning to circulate freely again did he suffer pain from his injured thighs and hips.

Describes His Experiences.

At Canton, where his friends and curious people crowded to see him, Hayes talked freely, describing his strange experience. To his wife and daughter, who reached his bedside at Canton shortly after he was taken there, he said: "Don't worry. I'll soon be out of this and out of this business. No more of it for me."

All night he was conscious and seemed to be improving steadily. All next day he continued to improve seemingly. He talked about his long stay under water and at times laughed at his predicament. "I'll never make another such trip," he would say at times.

He never will. The pains in his stomach began to ease in the evening and he had great difficulty in breathing. He was unaware, however, that his condition was much worse, and to his wife and daughter, constantly with him, he gave assurances of his ultimate recovery.

Everybody thought he would live. The news at 8 p. m. that he had died was made a greater shock by its unexpectedness. Eugene Ferris, whose heroic efforts did not avail to save Hayes' life, said, after making examination of Hayes' suit, when he brought the latter to the surface, that he was about due to give up the fight. The suit had begun to leak fifteen minutes more, Ferris believed, would have brought Hayes' death by drowning.

Hayes' stay under the water, aside from the crushing beneath the gate, is considered remarkable by river men. It was 3 p. m. Saturday when he went down. It was within a small fraction of an hour of 3 p. m. Sunday when he came up.

PROSPECTIVE BRIDE AND GROOM ARRESTED

Ante-Nuptial Celebration Results in Fines of \$10 in Police Court.

Wednesday morning was set for the marriage of Benjamin Tensing, 331 South Second street, and Miss Ora Parr, 744 South Second street. But instead of being married at that time they were prisoners in Old City Hall Police Court and were fined \$10 each. The same fine was imposed on Mrs. Lucy Parr, mother of the bride.

John Parr was the complaining witness. He said that his soon-to-be son-in-law called at his home, last night and started a celebration in which beer played a prominent part. He is the father of the bride and he objected to the form of the celebration and the noise that accompanied the same. So at his request his wife, his daughter and Mr. Tensing were arrested.

They admitted that they had enjoyed a few drinks but declared that at the time the arrests were made the celebration had been concluded and all was peaceful, the bride and her mother having retired at their home, had returned to their own abode.

The bride is 18 years old and quite pretty. She looked disconcerted as she sat in the holdover wondering where the funds to pay their fines could be obtained.

DAVID NICHOLSON LEFT \$1800 BEHIND

Attorney Found Wallet in Courtroom, Which Was Held for Man Who Lost It.

When David Nicholson, the wholesale grocer, reached into his pocket at 12:30 p. m. Wednesday to take out \$1800 to pay for his lunch, he became suddenly attacked with something resembling heart disease.

The \$1800 was gone! His excitement was unwarranted, however, the \$1800 was safe.

Wednesday morning Mr. Nicholson was a witness in Judge Foster's division of the Criminal Court. He was excused at 12 o'clock and hurried out of the courtroom.

A few minutes later Attorney William E. Fish observed a wallet lying in the chair which Mr. Nicholson had occupied. It bore Nicholson's name and Fish began to investigate.

As he opened the wallet all sorts of bank notes began to bulge out toward him. He did not count them and found there was \$1800. He gave the wallet to Deputy Sheriff Thomas Dwyer, who put it in a safe until such time as Mr. Nicholson should miss it and return for it.

Ten minutes from Union Station to Belcher's Turkish Baths, Compton Heights or Park avenue car.

Paid for It.

The Customer: must pay you are a much more courteous clerk than your friend at the next counter.

The Clerk: Yes, he gets \$20 a month and I get only \$50, so he has to be \$10 a month more insolent than I am.—Le Pele-Mele.

Comfort When Travelling.

The "Knickerbocker Special," St. Louis to Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Buffalo, New York and Boston. Tickets Broadway and Chestnut.

Inconsistent.

From Puck.

"You pay his course was not quite satisfactory to the labor union?"

Why, no. He worked 10 hours a day to earn the right to an eight-hour law.

CASITORIA.

The Kind You've Always Bought

Be sure the Signature of Dr. J. C. Williams

Off on Her French.

From the Boston Transcript.

"Yes," remarked Mrs. Firelight with complacency, "everybody thinks my new furniture is splendid. It is of the Louis Cartier pattern, you know."

Clearance Sale of Fancy Costumes, Tailor Suits, Walking Skirts, Dress Skirts, Etc.

SILK SHIRT-WAIST SUITS.

New materials for summer—popular shades, newest effects.

\$12.50 Suits reduced from \$25.00

\$17.50 Suits reduced from \$35.00

\$20.00 Suits reduced from \$40.00

\$25.00 Suits reduced from \$50.00

FANCY SUMMER COSTUMES.

In Tons, Crepe de Chine, Taffetas, Voiles, for reception, evening and street wear.

\$37.50 Suits reduced from \$75.00

\$40.00 Suits reduced from \$80.00

\$45.00 Suits reduced from \$90.00

\$60.00 Suits reduced from \$120.00

TAILOR MADE AND FANCY COATS.

Cheviots, Broadcloths, Mohairs, Taffetas, Pongees in all lengths.

\$5.00 Coats reduced from \$10.00

\$10.00 Coats reduced from \$20.00

\$15.00 Coats reduced from \$30.00

\$20.00 Coats reduced from \$40.00

TAILOR MADE SUITS.

In Eton, Blouse and Reefer effects, materials of Voiles, Mohairs, Panamas, Cheviots, fancy mixtures.

\$10.50 Suits reduced from \$21.00

\$12.50 Suits reduced from \$25.00

\$20.00 Suits reduced from \$40.00

WALKING AND DRESS SKIRTS.

Of Panamas, Mohairs, Cheviots and Mixtures.

\$5.00 Skirts reduced from \$10.00

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Remarkable Prices Marked on White Waists for Summer

Extra values; the material and making of these garments are superior to any ever offered at corresponding prices; all sizes, various styles, some lace trimmed, some embroidery trimmed.

WHITE INDIA LINON WAISTS.

Wide band of violet emb. down front—tucks on either side, forming yoke, button back, deep tucked cuffs. \$1.00 value.

\$1.00

WHITE INDIA LINON WAIST—Has square yoke of Val. lace; fine tucks on either side of yoke—button back, tucked narrow tucks cuffs.

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MULL WAIST—Front trimmed in small Val. yoke bands of Val. lace and tucking on either side, button tucked back, deep tucked cuffs and collar.

\$2.25

ALL-OVER EMBROIDERED WAISTS—tucked yoke in front, button back, deep cuffs, collar and cuffs trimmed in Val. lace, all reduced to—

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WHITE MULL WAISTS, with Val. yoke of fancy designs and tucking in front, tucked back, button back, deep cuffs, trimmed in Val. lace and fine tucks, lace-trimmed collar. \$4.50 value.

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ALL-OVER EMBROIDERED WAIST, tucked yoke in front, button back, deep cuffs, collar and cuffs trimmed in Val. lace, all sizes; \$7.50 value.

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Struggs Vandervoort & Barney

BROADWAY—OLIVE—LOCUST

At 1/2 Price

Our Entire Stock of Fancy Ribbon and Silk Girdle Belts to be Closed Out

This does not mean sizes which are too small, broken lots, shop worn, or soiled belts, but a complete fresh stock of all sizes; a great many exclusive designs, which have richness of tone and character, and a visible value that distinguish them from all others.

Deductions will be made from the face of the ticket, at the time of the sale.

\$5.00 Belts for.....\$2.50	\$2.00 Belts for.....\$1.00
\$4.00 Belts for.....\$2.00	\$1.00 Belts for.....50c
\$3.00 Belts for.....\$1.50	75c Belts for.....35c
45c Belts for.....25c	

These goods will be put on sale at eight o'clock Thursday morning and the sale will continue until the entire stock is closed out, at the Belt section of our Olive Street Store.

Verde Antique Ware

We have just opened a complete line of this ware, consisting of desk articles and handsome pieces for the dresser. The antique Green Bronze applied on a beautiful shade of glass resembling the Malachite, is most effective, and nothing could be handsomer or more acceptable for a wedding gift.

The line consists of Paper Racks, Ink Wells, Pen Trays, Blotter and Blotter Corners, Stamp Cases, Ash Trays, Picture Frames, Calendars, Glove Boxes, etc., shown in our Olive Street Store.

The Mortar Board Hat Pins

A perfect miniature duplicate of the Mortar Board Hat, the universal emblem of college life—whether the student wears the "Cap and Gown" or not.

It will please every "sweet girl graduate."

These pins are substantially made in Sterling Silver, with long 8-inch stem; prices 85c and \$1.00

Cologne Bottles, Sterling Silver applied on crystal or green Glass hand engraved.

What could be a more appropriate gift than one of these bottles, filled with an ounce of perfume?

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GIVE CITY \$100,000 TO RESTORE PARK

World's Fair Company Offers Art and Other Buildings, Shrubs and Roadways.

ORDINANCES IN COUNCIL

Judge Ferriss Asks Exposition Directors and Company Be Released From Bonds.

Under the terms of ordinances introduced in the Council and House of Delegates, Tuesday, the World's Fair Company offers the city \$100,000 in cash, the art building, various other buildings, shrubs, flowers and roadways on condition that the ordinance requiring the restoration of Forest Park by the Exposition Company be repealed, the directors released from their \$200,000 personal bond and the company from its \$450,000 bond given to insure the proper performance of the restoration.

Services of Landscape Artist Kessler for a year from the passage of the ordinance are also offered in the bills which were introduced by Councilman Gardner and Delegate Wiedmer at the request of Franklin Ferriss, general counsel for the Exposition Company.

Under ordinances governing the restoration, no provision was made for the acceptance of the permanent art buildings, as all buildings were to be removed by the Exposition Company. This structure is valued at \$200,000, which Judge Ferriss, in an interview, estimates to offset the \$450,000 bond of the company. The personal bond of \$200,000, according to Judge Ferriss, is more than offset by the plants, road material, the services of Mr. Kessler and the buildings on one of which the Press Building, Judge Ferriss places a valuation of \$100,000.

Possession of the grounds will be given the city as soon as the ordinance are passed, subject to the rights of the Chicago House Wrecking Co., which has a contract to remove the main buildings. All of the grounds have been restored by the Exposition Company, except the main picture of the fair, which was formerly an unwholesome marsh-breeding ground and jungle, according to Judge Ferriss.

Pile sufferers, it will pay you to read Dr. M. N. Smith's ad on page 6. Send for free 100-page valuable book.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

By Hon. A. C. Thompson of the United States Circuit Court.

Samuel B. Hartman brought an action in replevin in the United States Circuit Court for the Western District of New York against Loveland and others. The deposition of Ambro R. Park was taken when the witness refused to answer the questions on the ground that they were not material or relevant to the matter in controversy and would be immaterial. Judge Thompson was appealed to to compel the witness to answer the questions, in granting the order prayed for Judge Thompson said:

"I have read the testimony, so far as it has been taken, and the witness refused to answer."

In the first place, the relevancy of the testimony sought to be elicited by these questions is that: That the witness, Ambro R. Park, is a partner in the firm of Park & Sons Company, which is a partnership between Park & Sons Company, consisting of Ambro R. Park and John D. Park & Sons Company, and that the plaintiff, John D. Park & Sons Company, obtained a replevin of Peruna from plaintiff, and that the plaintiff, John D. Park & Sons Company, promptly repudiated the contract of sale, and that the purchase price which had been paid and repaid the goods. In order to maintain the suit, therefore, it is necessary to show that the possession of these goods was obtained by fraud practiced upon the plaintiff, which justified him in repudiating the contract.

It is not necessary to discuss the question of the right to repudiate the contract; I think there can be no question as to the right of the plaintiff to repudiate the contract, and the claim is that in violation of these contracts, they entered into a conspiracy with John D. Park & Sons Co. to obtain Peruna from Hartman and ship it to that company, the company being engaged quite extensively in the business of selling Peruna, and would enable it to obtain Peruna in any other way. If this be true, undoubtedly Hartman had right to repudiate the sale and retake the property. But it is said the contracts with McKee, sea & Robbins and Loveland are executory, and that Hartman must look to them for damages for the wrongful disposition of the goods, and cannot attack the sale. The charge, however, as I understand it, is that this particular contract of Peruna was obtained by a fraud practiced upon Hartman, and in furtherance of the scheme by which John D. Park & Sons Company sought to obtain Peruna, when they could not otherwise have obtained it. The representation of McKee, sea & Robbins to Hartman was this: "Under our contract we will sell you Peruna, put it upon a transportation, when in fact that was a misrepresentation; they did not want it for any purpose, but wanted it for the purpose of selling it to John D. Park & Sons Company, in violation of their contracts with Hartman."

Therefore, in the opinion of the Court, the testimony sought to be elicited from this witness, Ambro R. Park, is relevant as tending to show this fraudulent scheme by which the Peruna was obtained from Hartman.

The witness repeats over and over again that the answers to the questions put to him will not incriminate him or will not subject him to a penalty or forfeiture; as I have already stated, his sole ground for refusing to answer is that the questions are irrelevant to the case and the case pending in the New York Court, and that the answers thereto would disclose trade secrets. The Court is of the opinion that this testimony is entirely relevant and that there are no trade secrets disclosed.

Tennis shoes for man, woman or child. See windows for prices. Bohmer, 410 Bay.

A Slap at Her.
From the Philadelphia Ledger.
"Well, George didn't call to see me at all last week, but he's going to take me to the dance tonight, so I'll make up for it."

"Believe me, you usually do make up for that sort of thing."

Those afflicted with piles and other rectal troubles go to Dr. M. N. Smith, because he cures more people—men and women—who have piles than any other physician in the country. The doctor numbers among his patients doctors, lawyers, mechanics, merchants, farmers, and bankers—in fact, people in all walks of life.

If you are afflicted, read Dr. Smith's ad in the Post-Dispatch on page 6, or better still, call at his office, 214 Pine street, where he will give consultation free, and will tell you whether or not he can cure you, if so, just how much it will cost you to be cured, and how long it will take to cure you.

Would Sell Drinks in Forest Park.
Councilman Marks introduced a bill in the Upper House of the Municipal Assembly Tuesday authorizing the Mayor and Park Commissioner to enter into a contract on behalf of the city with the highest bidder for the privilege of selling refreshments at the Cottage in Forest Park. No distinction is made as to what kind of refreshments are to be sold. The successful bidder will be required to give a bond of \$15,000 and he must maintain an orderly house. The contract is to run five years from July 1.

Mrs. Whelan's Soothing Syrup for Children soothes the child from pain.

CONDEMNED MAN TO TRY TO HANG WOMAN HE LOVED

Frank Hottman Repeats Story He Will Tell of Murder of Clarence Meyers—Says Latter's Wife Aided Him in Crime.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LIBERTY, Mo., June 7.—On the witness stand here tomorrow Frank Hottman, already sentenced to die for murder, will try to swear away the life of Mrs. Aggie Meyers, whom he accuses of helping him to kill her husband, Clarence Meyers, in Kansas City a year ago.

Hottman retold his story in the Kansas City Jail last night to Prosecutor Kimbrell, his statement differing somewhat from his written confession made immediately after his arrest in Walla Walla, Wash., whither he fled after Meyers' death.

He described with much detail the alleged plot between himself and Mrs. Meyers, formed, he says, while he was driving with the woman to Higginsville some time before Meyers was killed.

Concerning the fatal struggle, he admits that his memory is a trifle dim. "I was full of booze," he said last night, "and don't remember exactly how it happened."

"When I called at the Meyers home a little after midnight and gave the agreed signal, Mrs. Meyers let me into the kitchen. Then my nerve failed and I told Aggie I thought we'd better not kill her husband."

"She gave me three drinks of whiskey to brace me up, and we entered Meyers' room."

"Are you here again?" asked Meyers, lifting himself on his elbow.

"I didn't know what he meant by that, but I jumped at him and bit him with the butt end of the billiard cue I was carrying as a club."

"It was only a glancing blow and Meyers jumped out of bed and grabbed me."

"Murder!" he yelled.

"Hush," said Aggie. "It's only Charlie—meaning Charlie Meyers, her husband's brother."

"Well, what have I done?" asked Meyers.

"I suppose he couldn't understand why his own brother was attacking him."

Then, says Hottman, Meyers clinched with him and they struggled about the room. Meyers knocked Hottman down and was setting the upper hand when Hottman asserts, Mrs. Meyers seized a bed slat and struck her husband.

The blow missed Meyers and struck Hottman. Next, the latter asserts, the woman rushed to the bureau, took out her husband's razor and, while Hottman held the unfortunate man, slashed him across the throat.

In the struggle Meyers caught Hottman's thumb between his teeth and bit it to the bone.

His defense will not dispute that Hottman killed Meyers, but will deny that Mrs. Meyers had any part in the crime.

Mrs. Meyers' own story is that she was awakened on the night of the murder to find two negroes in the room, that one of them beat her into unconsciousness and that, when she recovered, her husband was dead.

It will be conceded that Hottman was infatuated with the woman and that he, and perhaps an accomplice, with blacked faces, entered the Meyers home and committed the murder.

The prosecution will lay stress on the fact that there was not a bruise visible on Mrs. Meyers' body the day after the murder.

The jury selected to try Mrs. Meyers is as follows: Ambrose Lancaster, J. H. W. Houseman, Mannie Thomson, J. H. G. Waters, Thomas A. Hulen, William E. Miller, J. W. McCracken, John T. Samuels, James C. Ray, Lafayette W. Thomas, Reuben Owens and John T. Aul. All are farmers. Samuels is a half-brother of Frank and Jesse James.

He is one of the best citizens of Clay County.

Court opened at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. As soon as Mrs. Meyers could be brought from her cell the clerk read the list of jurors, who were sworn at once.

Prosecuting Attorney Kimbrell then asked permission to endorse upon the indictment the names of certain witnesses, in addition to those already there. To the defense's objection he recused that he wished especially to add the names of Frank Hottman, his father and mother.

The defense replied with a demand for a continuance on the ground that they did not know Frank Hottman was to be a witness. Judge Alexander overruled the motion and permitted the names of Hottman and others to be put upon the indictment.

CHANGE OF TIME.
Louisville & Nashville R. R. Co.
Commencing June 11, train No. 51 will depart at 3:12 a. m., instead of 3:30 a. m. Train No. 52 will depart at 3:50 p. m., instead of 4 p. m.

No torture compares to that of a rheumatic. Prescription No. 2651, by Elmer & Amend, quickly relieves all.

Mrs. Aggie Meyers, on Trial for Murder of Husband, and Frank Hottman, Who Says He Helped



PHILOSOPHER QUILTS WAYS.

Professor Locke of Chicago Will Join Scramble for Money.

CHICAGO, June 7.—After 20 years of the philosophic life, living it and teaching it, Prof. George Herbert Locke, dean of the College of Education of the University of Chicago, has chucked up the whole philosophic proposition, given up his job and will join the majority in the struggle for material wealth. No more "loaf-of-bread-and-butter" and "Thou shalt have" for him. No more platitudes of Plato, Socrates and Aristotle have been sent to the auction room. Prof. Locke will begin his business life by getting next to the matter which all good philosophers affect to despise—money. He has accepted a place as head of the financial department of a Boston publishing house. He has taught philosophy for 20 years.

Go to Laughlin's, 7th and Locust, for good things to eat.

Auto License Decision Reserved.
Judge McElhinney of Clayton has under advisement the application of Dr. E. M. Senseney from a fine of \$100 imposed by the Justice of the Peace for operating an automobile without a license. The appeal, taken on constitutional grounds, was argued yesterday. Dr. Senseney and two friends had ridden to Clayton to get a license and a fine of 50 cents, when the doctor was arrested for not having a license.

Good Printing Pays.
We do it—any description. We deliver on time. Greeley, Printers of St. Louis, S. J. Harbaugh, President.

WRENCHED HIS WIFE'S WRIST.
Austin C. List, Secretary of the A. P. Brewster Lumber Co., with offices in room 300, Fullerton Building, was fined \$10 and costs in the Dayton Street Police Court Wednesday on the charge of disturbing the peace of his wife, Mrs. Louise List, of 319 Lucas avenue. Aps was arrested at 8 o'clock on the charge of disturbing the peace of his wife, Mrs. Louise List, of 319 Lucas avenue. Aps was arrested at 8 o'clock on the charge of disturbing the peace of his wife, Mrs. Louise List, of 319 Lucas avenue.

The wife testified that List, from whom she is separated, came to the house to see their 4-year-old son about 8 o'clock on the night of the date mentioned, and when she refused him admittance he burst through the door, severely wrenching her wrist.

The Celebrity barefoot sandals are better. G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co., exclusive agents.

Sparing His Feelings.
From the Chicago Daily News.
The Tramp: Yer needn't be afraid to give me a quibble, I'm not a millionaire. The Millionaire: Needn't be afraid? The Tramp: No; I won't say it's tainted money.

TO BOSTON.
Three daily trains St. Louis to Boston, via Big Four. Tickets, Broadway and Chestnut.

Give the Job of Finding You a Job
TO A
POST-DISPATCH
Want Advertisement
754 Men, Women, Boys and Girls in St. Louis DID SO LAST WEEK.
Your druggist is our Want Ad agent.

BUSINESS NOTICE.
The healing household remedy, Satin Skin Cream, should always be handy. 25c.

TWO BOYS BURNED TO DEATH.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 7.—Firemen called to extinguish a pile of burning brush on the beach discovered the charred bodies of Ordney Delaney, 7 years old, and Willie Jeffries, aged 4, burned to a crisp, and lying together at the bottom of the pit in the sand in which the children had been playing.

The two boys went to the beach where it is supposed they bowed out a hole under the cedar branches for a playhouse. The police are inclined to believe that the boys were suffocated before they could get out, but two colored men were seen leaving the place shortly after the blaze was discovered and a rigid investigation is being made by the coroner.

See our windows for reduced prices on boys' and girls' tan shoes. Boehmer, 410 Bay.

OUT OF THE WEST IS THIS LOCHINVAR

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

INDIANOLA, Neb., June 7.—Because she refused to elope with him, Clarence Gill shot Charlotte Collins in the arm, placed her in his buggy and drove off with her. The girl is only 15 years old and Gill is 24. He has been employed for about a year on the Collins farm and was madly in love with the girl. At the time of the shooting no one else was in the house except three younger children.

They report that Gill called at the house and pleaded with their sister to elope with him, but she refused to elope with her mother's consent. When he saw that his pleadings were in vain he drew a pistol and began shooting at her.

Apparently the girl then changed her mind, for the two were captured near Kanonsa, Kan. When overtaken they had halted at a well and Gill was washing the blood from the girl's wounds. He was lodged in jail at McCook.

Escaped House of Refuge.
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MISSISSIPPI SCORNS CARNEGIE'S CHARITY

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"In examining it I find that it is a scientifically prepared medicine, composed of herbal remedies of high medicinal value."

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"After fevers or other protracted illness, it is one of the best tonics I know of to restore the system to normal condition and I recommend it to convalescents."

"It is a high class family remedy, good for young and old, and on for twenty years. Per-na occupies a unique position in medical science. It is the only internal systemic catarrh remedy known to the medical profession today."

Catarrh is a systemic disease curable only by a systemic treatment. A remedy that cures catarrh must act directly on the depressed nerve centers. This is what Per-na does.

Per-na Contains No Narcotics.

One reason why Per-na has found permanent use in so many homes is that it contains no narcotics of any kind.

Edwin C. Burt, Oxford, \$3.50. \$4. \$5. G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co., sole agents, 410 Bay.

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Rearrested for Killing of Nolan in Election Quarrel.

Peter White, whose sentence of 10 years in the Penitentiary for shooting and killing James Nolan on March 13, 1904, was affirmed Tuesday by the Supreme Court, is locked up at the Four Courts and will be taken to the Penitentiary in a few days. He was out on bond pending action by the Supreme Court, to which the case had been appealed, and was rearrested at his home Tuesday night by Chief Deputy Sheriff Slane.

Nolan was killed in Timothy McAuliffe's saloon at Thirteenth street and Cass avenue in a primary election quarrel.

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HIT WIFE WITH BOTTLE.

Mrs. Mabel Quinn, 237 Olive street, went to the saloon at Twelfth and Olive street, where her husband has been employed as bartender. Wednesday morning to talk over their troubles. They have been separated for a month. During the quarrel the husband hit the wife on the head with a bottle.

Mrs. Quinn received temporary treatment at City Dispensary and was then sent to City Hospital. The surgeons said that her skull was possibly fractured. Quinn left the saloon immediately after the row and the police are looking for him.

Woodbury Talks About the Hair

This Advertisement is Not about "the Hair" in General. It's about YOUR Hair.

Unless You Are a Very Extraordinary Person Your Hair is Not as It Should Be. This May Be Caused in Many Ways. Probably it is Because You Have Not Taken Proper CARE of it.

We are not apt to notice the disorders of our bodies—till they HURT—and, unfortunately, the hair never HURTS.

If you are a MAN—you are probably either bald already—or well on the way to baldness.

If a woman—the chances are you wear SOME sort of false hair. Maybe it's only a pad that goes underneath your own hair, to make it look more luxuriant—maybe a curl, or an extra lock here or there.

Don't think your hair is all right just because there's some of it still there; for the absolutely bald—Mr. Rockefeller for instance—will find no help here.

Comb your hair carefully and notice how much comes out.

Then COMB OUT YOUR BRUSH and see how much HAS come out in two or three days without your noticing it at all.

Unfortunately, you can't see your scalp—even with a mirror; if you could, you'd have taken heed long ago.

Now, SAVE YOUR HAIR, and this is how:

FIRST—Keep your scalp clean. You can do this by careful washing with plain pure castile soap—better far with Woodbury's Scalp Cleaner (a splendid shampoo; that you feel all through you). But frequent shampooing, without proper after treatment, dries and deadens the hair.

SECOND—Consult a hair specialist. Don't trust yourself to some one who only examines your hair for the purpose of plausibly recommending some specific tonic. What is "good for one is poison for another."

Heads of hair differ just as much as faces—only you don't SEE the difference so plainly, for each hair is so small.

CALL ON WHITE.

John H. Woodbury D. I. has been treating hair troubles for 35 years. Literally MILLIONS of cases have been examined, prescribed for, watched and tabulated.

His Health is the symbol of BODILY HEALTH. (When Samson lost his hair his strength was gone.) Every ANIMAL shows its illness by the condition of its coat.

YOU cannot know the story your hair tells—the Doctors of the Woodbury Institute DO know.

Remember—we have nothing to sell but TREATMENT.

Every case is prescribed for on its OWN merits. Sometimes only massage is needed—sometimes medicine.

It's simply the prescription that has been found to fit MOST cases

This Baby's Life Saved by Its Getting Pure Milk

The St. Louis Pure Milk Commission Is Prepared to Supply Sterilized Milk to All Who Apply—Contributions Are Coming In.

Will you help to save the life of a baby? Baby Irene Bremer is just entering on her second summer, the critical stage of a baby's life. At the outset of the season the roses that were on her cheeks began to fade and the doctor said that unless her food were pure and wholesome she would surely die.

This pure food that was so necessary for Baby Irene's life is being supplied, and since it has been partaking of this pure food, the threatening illness has been averted and the babe is gaining strength every day.

Baby Irene is being fed the modified milk that is prepared and furnished by the Pure Milk Commission, from its plant at 1725 North Thirtieth street. She is now 13 months old, and the photograph appearing herewith was taken when she was six months old. With her parents she lives at 1230 Chambers street.

Baby Irene's nana works in the rolling mills and is able to buy the wholesome food that is going to save his baby's life.



IRENE BREMER

But there are hundreds of babies in St. Louis who need the food as badly as does this babe, and some of their parents are unable to supply this pure food that will be the means of saving life.

To Benefit Humanity.

The St. Louis Pure Milk Commission, organized by philanthropic men and women of St. Louis, was not created for profit. Its mission is to benefit humanity. The Provisional Association has donated a building that cost \$10,000 as a home for the commission. Nathan Strauss, a New York merchant and philanthropist, gave the equipment. Here, under the personal charge of experts, the purest of milk is taken and pasteurized and modified so that it comes as near being mothers' milk, the ideal food, as science can make.

It is supplied to those needing the milk at nominal prices. The price is one and two cents per bottle. This will not anywhere near defray the cost of production. And where the applicant is not able to pay this nominal price, the milk is furnished absolutely free.

Dr. Albert Merrill, President of the commission, says that 30 per cent of all the deaths are among infants. He says that science has demonstrated that more than 50 per cent of these deaths result from impure food. It is to check this alarming death rate that the St. Louis Pure Milk Commission was established.

The plant was opened this year June 1, and now the daily output is 600 bottles. It can be increased to several thousand and every bottle is used in helping to save the life of a baby. The nominal price received from the sale of the milk, even if every bottle used were paid for, would not begin to meet the cost of maintaining the plant. Those at its head estimate that \$10,000 will be needed to guarantee that the laboratory be kept open all the year and every one who needs the pasteurized milk is supplied.

Physicians Have Orders.

Every physician in the congested district has received a number of prescriptions on orders. Any family having a baby who needs the milk will be supplied with an order for the milk. There are 21 distributing stations where the milk is supplied, and it can be had only on one of these prescription blanks.

The Post-Dispatch will receive contributions for this fund that are being raised to save the lives of the St. Louis babies, and will forward the subscriptions so received to the commission.

Stanley D. Pearce, of the legal firm of Pearce & Davis, in the Commercial Building, who has been the object of the commission from articles appearing in the Post-Dispatch, has made a contribution, and in doing so sent the following letter:

The Post-Dispatch, St. Louis, Mo.:
Gentlemen—Inclosed find check for \$5 on account of the maintenance of the St. Louis Pure Milk Commission. Very truly yours,
STANLEY D. PEARCE.

Barfoot Sandals for men, woman or child. See windows for prices at Boehmer's.

ROYAL ARCANUM CHANGE.

Stated Annual Tax to Be Paid by the Members.
Members of insurance societies say that the action taken by the Royal Arcanum of America in making a change in its death assessments will result in similar changes in many other societies. The announcement of the change was officially made Tuesday, although it was effected at the annual meeting of the Supreme Council of the Atlantic City two weeks ago. In the future the members will pay a stated annual tax based on the mortality statistics of the order. The Knights of Maccabees, Modern Woodmen and the Elks. These organizations have already placed their assessments on an adequate basis.

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Gardner Takes Wife to Help Him

Richard Welsh of Eureka, Mo., and Mrs. Mary M. Welsh of Valley Park, Mo., who were married at Belleville Tuesday afternoon, deny that they are related or that they were ever married before. They say that their like names are due merely to a coincidence. The man gave his age as 32 and the woman said she was 34, but they admitted that they were considerably older than that. Welsh said he was a gardener and needed a woman to help him, and as Mrs. Welsh was also in need of a companion they decided to get married. The ceremony was performed by Magistrate Evans.

TO NEW ENGLAND.
Three day trains via Big Four, with through sleepers and dining cars. Tickets Broadway and Chestnut.

Fell Twenty Feet, Struck on Head
Julius Goff of 221 Leonard avenue is at City Hospital, seriously injured, as the result of a fall early Wednesday morning at the plant of the Union Electric Light Plant, Levee and Biddle street. He was repairing a pump when his foot slipped and he fell 20 feet, striking his head on an angle iron.

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Sent False Riot Call to Police.
The police are searching for an unidentified person who sent in a riot call Tuesday afternoon from Second and Gratiot streets. Patrolmen went to the scene of the call and the Chestnut station responded to the alarm. The person who had been sent out, when the police arrived they found neither the woman nor her alleged assailant.

Knox Tan Oxford for men, \$4.50. G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co., sole agents, 410-12 Bdwy.

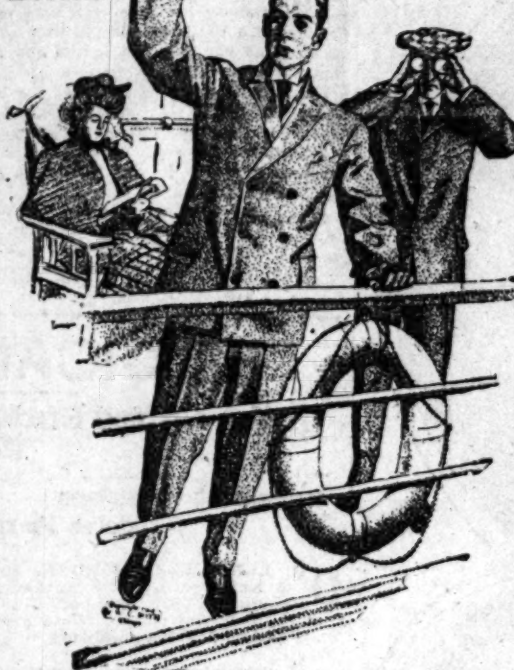
Hopeless.
From the Cleveland Leader.
Umpire: Play ball!
Voice from the Bleachers: What's the use of giving dem fellers orders dey can't n't!

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The Great June Trade Sales

The \$27,000 Clothing Purchase at \$16,500

Third Floor Five Elevators



THIS splendid sale is widely advertising our great clothing department through the wonderful values offered. It is a conclusive demonstration of the power of our great buying organization and the welcome savings which it secures. When you consider that every suit in this sale is up to the minute in every particular and that all the newest materials, including handsome blue serges, English Tweeds and the popular grey worsteds, are represented, you will surely realize that this is the grandest Clothing opportunity of the season. Tomorrow we will continue this sale of the Dayton, Weil Co.'s hand tailored Clothing at a full third off.

Hundreds of Fashionable \$10 and \$12 Business Suits at only

\$6.85

Hundreds of high class hand tailored \$18 and \$20 Suits

\$11.35

Hundreds of \$13.50 and \$15 Worsteds and Serge Suits at only

\$8.85

Hundreds of superbly tailored \$22 and \$25 Suits go at only

\$13.75

June Trade Sale of Presents for June Brides

BEAUTIFUL, acceptable things for the June bride are here in profusion. Handsome brie-a-brac, sparkling cut glass, fine French, German and American dinner sets, beautiful parlor lamps and hundreds of other charming things which are sure to be appreciated. In this sale we are naming very special prices.

Cut Glass Nappies, \$1.25—Brilliant cut designs in various shapes. Regular \$2.25 values at... **\$1.35**
\$3.95 Berry Bowls, \$2.25—Cut glass berry bowls in sparkling fan and star cuttings. \$3.95 values, at only... **\$2.35**
\$5 Dinner Sets at \$5—100 full size place dinner sets, nicely decorated in a color of neutral green; fancy embossed edges; handsome shapes. The regular \$5.00 values at... **\$5**
12 Piece Toilet Sets—Beautifully decorated and tinted in turtle green, fancy shapes in regular \$3.00 sets at... **\$5**

\$3.95 Parlor Lamps, \$2.25—Beautiful parlor lamps with handsome decorations and tintings. These have round wick, central draft burner and fancy bronze metal base. \$3.95 values, at... **\$2.25**
Triple Plated Ware—1847 Rogers Bros. 12 pennyweight triple plated knives and forks with every piece stamped 1847 Rogers Bros. Sets of six each for... **\$3.50**
1847 Rogers Bros. A1 Tea Spoons; set of 6 at... **\$1.25**
1847 Rogers Bros. A1 Dessert spoons; set of 6 at... **\$2.75**
1847 Rogers Bros. A1 Table spoons; set of 6 at... **\$2.95**

100 piece Theodore Haviland Dinner Sets, in French china, delicately decorated with a treatment of leaf green and floral pink design, gold stippling, latest French shapes. Regular \$20.00 value at... **\$20**
12 Piece Toilet Sets in fancy Squat shapes, elaborately decorated on embossed leaves and flowers and tinted in dark green and maroon. A real, rich looking set. Regular \$10.00 value at... **\$7.98**
Footed Comports \$3.00—Cut glass footed comports with tall cut stem and fancy cut star base. Very handsome; \$5.48 comports, at... **\$3.98**



Fourth Floor—Five Elevators

The Great June Trade Sale of Embroideries

IS CREATING an intense interest which surpasses that shown in any similar event this season. Beautiful embroideries and laces are always attractive to a dainty woman and when she can buy them at a third and even a half off, they are doubly attractive. Tomorrow we will sell:

45c Flouncings at 25c—An entirely new shipment of 18-inch Swiss flouncings or shirt-waist embroideries. Hand machine work. Beautiful 45c qualities at, yard... **25c**
75c to 90c Flouncings, 59c—Just 99 pieces of 15 to 18-inch fine embroidered Swiss flouncings in exquisite designs. Regular 75c to 90c qualities at, yard... **59c**
10c to 15c Embroideries, 5c—Linen color medallion applique and finished edge embroideries, 1/2 to 2 inches wide—10c to 15c values at, yard... **5c**
65c Flouncings at 39c—18-inch beautiful Swiss flouncings with 2-inch worked margin. Regular 65c values at, yard... **39c**
50c to 65c Bands, 25c—4 to 4 inch very fine Embroidery Bands, Irish Point, hand machine goods, etc., 50c to 65c values at, yard... **25c**
39c Embroideries at 25c—Broderie Anglaise Bands or Insertions, which are fully 6 inches wide—the regular 39c qualities at, yard... **25c**
75c to 85c Embroideries, 35c—Beautiful Anglaise edgings and Insertions, in fine Nainsook, 4 to 10 inches wide—regular 75c to 85c qualities at, yard... **35c**
Oriental Laces, 10c—Fine 4 to 6 inch Oriental Laces, 2-inch wide—regular 10c values at, yard... **10c**
Valenciennes Laces at 35c the Dozen—Fine Val. Laces and Insertions to match—French and round mesh—1-inch wide—regular price 65c per dozen—sale price doz... **35c**
15c to 25c Bands, 10c—Finish Edge Embroidery Bands, in white only. These beautiful 1 to 2 1/2 inch goods are now in demand; yard... **10c**

The Great June Trade Sale of White Goods

THIS is essentially a white season and our large stocks of white goods are adequately filling the heavy demand. For this occasion we made several very advantageous purchases with the savings most pronounced. For instance, we will offer—

12 1/2c India Linens, 6 1/2c—fine sheer India Linens in the 32-inch width. These are regularly 12 1/2c. Special sale price; yard... **8 1/2c**
40c Linen Cambric, 25c—This sheer 36-inch quality is much in demand now for suits and waists and cannot be matched under 40c. Special sale price; yard... **25c**
13 1/2c Checked Nainsook, 8 1/2c—sheer, pretty white goods in every size check and plaid. At least ten patterns in the 12 1/2c quality, at yard... **8 1/2c**
40c Impaired Swisses 25c—Beautiful Swiss novelties in stripe effects with woven dots; newest waives for waists and suits. 40c quality, at yard... **25c**
Basement Salesroom—White Goods Section.

The Great June Trade Sale of Undermuslins

THOUSANDS of the dainty garments have been sold and still there's thousands equally as pretty and desirable here for your choosing. This fact demonstrates most conclusively the scope of this sale, which has proven such a remarkable success. Tomorrow these special features:

35c Drawers at 25c—Women's extra size drawers of good cambric; made on yoke band and finished with deep cambric ruffle and hem. 35c quality at... **25c**
\$1 Gowns at 75c—Women's extra size gowns in the slipover style, made extra full throughout. Cambric ruffle on neck and sleeves. \$1 qualities at... **75c**
35c Drawers at 25c—Women's cambric Drawers, with umbrellas, made extra full throughout. These are the 35c qualities at... **25c**
65c Gowns at 49c—Women's Gowns, trimmed with embroideries or laces, well made, perfect fitting 65c Gowns at... **49c**
65c Covers at 49c—Cambric or nainsook Corset Covers; full front and French back—with lace and ribbon trimmings—regular 49c worth 65c—special... **49c**
\$2.49 Petticoats at \$2—Extra fine cambric Petticoats with deep flounce and lace insertions and edge regular worth \$2.49—special... **\$2.00**
\$1.50 Gowns at \$1.25—Extra Fine Nainsook Gowns, made extra long and wide, in the slipover style, trimmed with pretty laces and ribbons. Regular worth \$1.50—special... **\$1.25**
\$1.25 Petticoats at \$1—Extra quality cambric Petticoats, with flounce of lace insertions and edge regular worth \$1.25—special... **89c**

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GRIFFIN EXCURSION

Jefferson City, Mo.

Sunday, June 11

\$1.50 ROUND TRIP

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Female Beards

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MR. JOHN LIND, Director.

Cafe, manager Mr. Louis Caesar. Original attractions, the famous "Trip Through the Alps" and "Alpine Ride," included in admission price of 25c (children under 12 free). Concerts, evenings 7:30 to 11:30; Saturday and Sunday Matinees, 2 to 5:30. Grounds free daily to 9 p. m. except matinee days.

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Extra Amateur Night Friday, after regular performance; no extra charge. Next Sunday—"Show Folks."

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25c Mat. Today OR "MOTHS."

Delmar Garden Shows

"THE ROUNDERS."

8:30-10. Company—6

Matinee Saturday, 2:30

Sunday, June 11, "The Girl From Dixie."

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Saturday, June 10.

WEST END HEIGHTS STOCKCO.

PINK DOMINOES

MYSTERY OF LOST MESSAGES SOLVED

Statue of Liberty in New York Harbor Deflects Wireless Telegrams From Course.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, June 7.—Ever since the installation of wireless telegraph here so many messages between ships at sea and this port have failed to reach their destination that the telegraph people reached the conclusion that they were being stolen in some mysterious way.

Only a short time ago when the Garona went aground, Vernon H. Brown, Vice-President of the Cunard line, tried unsuccessfully for five hours to get in communication with the stranded vessel.

Then, too, when the Umbria met with the Garona's fate, she endeavored to telegraph the fact here by wireless, but it could not get New York to answer. These are but two instances where messages were not received. Where the messages being stolen? If so, who was the thief? What was his motive? Where was his secret receiving station? To get answer to these puzzling questions detectives were employed but they could not unravel the mystery. Experts have now solved the puzzle and their solution amazed even them.

Miss Liberty, of Bedloe's Island, who "enlightens the world," enlightened the experts.

CAPTAIN STREETER IS SUED

This Time Action Against Famous Lake Michigan Squatter Is for Divorce.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
CHICAGO, June 7.—"Capt." N. George Wellington Streeter, former "suv-nor" of the Deestrect of Lake Michigan, has been sued for divorce by his 18-year-old bride.

Though 79 years old, "Capt." did not long mourn the death of his faithful Maria, she who helped win five battles in the "Deestrect" with the millions of the millionaires. A month ago he married Mamie Collins, pretty but inexperienced. She left him within a week. Cruelty in many forms is charged. Her greatest pain \$100,000 which he had promised her a week after the wedding, was a myth.

"I was only teasing with that money story," the "Capt." told her the morning after.

Pile sufferers, it will pay you to read Dr. M. Ney Smith's ad on page 6. Send for free 100-page valuable book.

Wooded While Doing Errands; Waited Eight Years to Wed



Mrs. Alfred C. Tremlett

Young Couple Whose Courtship Began Day They Got Employment at Same Place, Were Patient Until Promotions for Both Enabled Them to Marry.

As the logical result of a pretty romance that began with a boy-and-girl love affair Miss Theresa A. Bomger of 2242 Montgomery street and Alfred C. Tremlett of 1956

AMATEUR RAFFLES TRAPPED IN HOUSE

Scheme of Burglary Might Have Worked if Pal Had Not Informed Police.

Bernard Friedrick, amateurish cracksmen, had a beautiful theory of operation, but he failed to consider the human element. He counted on Emil Priester, 343 Magnolia avenue, as his pal, but Priester refused to be "Bunny." Not only that, but Priester delivered him into the hands of his enemies, the police.

Friedrick, according to Priester's story, told to Judge Tracy in City Hall Police Court Wednesday, met Priester at the Union Racetrack about one month ago. They became friendly and a few days later Friedrick, confided to him that he had a safe to crack, that, in fact, he knew of several that could be looted, if he had a trustworthy partner.

Finally, Priester said, he agreed to go in with Friedrick on a job at the rooming house of Mrs. Nannie Grunier, 134 South Seventh street. Friedrick outlined a clever plan of campaign. Priester was to go to the house and apply for a room, which they knew to be vacant on the third floor. Then Priester was to engage the woman in conversation on the third floor, while Friedrick went through the rooms below. If the coast was clear and the conversation well under way, the accomplice was to show himself at a window with his hat on. It all worked out beautifully. Friedrick was brushing his shoes in front of the house when his pal appeared in the window. He immediately disappeared within.

All this time, the man had been sweeping the sidewalk on the opposite side of the street. Now he dropped his broom and sauntered across the street. Not his closest friend would have recognized the man as Policeman Maloney, of the Seventh District, especially if they had seen him at work.

Maloney came upon Friedrick slipping softly downstairs. The latter ran as the big man entered the house. He was found in the kitchen. In the stove were found various tools of the burglar's trade. Maloney arrested him and confronted him with Priester.

"Betrayed!" hissed Raf-Friedrick. Treasoning was the charge placed against him by the officer, and on that charge Judge Tracy found him guilty, despite his story that he had gone to the house to get a shirt that he belonged to him. He was fined \$100 and costs.

"I wish I could make it more," said Judge Tracy.



Marital Matters

Some cynic once said that when a man gets married is the only time in his life that he has on new clothes all the way through.

In here we take care of the bridegroom's outer attire. MacCarthy-Evans Frocks Suits made to measure, \$45, \$55 and \$70.

The Dress Suit that he will need for after-wedding functions, \$50, \$60 or \$75.

Suits that the honeymoon will bring into use, \$25 to \$45.

MacCarthy-Evans Tailoring Co. 516-520 OLIVE ST. Opposite which is the Postoffice. And in which Phone Main 2847, Main 180 and B 200.

A PAIN IN THE HEART.

Many people who imagine they have heart disease are only suffering from indigestion, and will find immediate relief in HEPTOL SPLITS, the perfect tonic aperient.

SHORT LINE TO LEWIS AND CLARK EXPOSITION

Portland, Ore., June 1st to Oct. 15th, 1935

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This route gives you 200 miles along the beautiful Columbia River, a trip to Portland and the Northwest without change, and a chance to visit

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Watch for our Gaily Arrangement Thursday. *McMay & Co.*

Fruit Growers Special Train To Texas.

Will leave St. Louis over Cotton Belt Route, Tuesday, June 20th, at 8:00 p. m., for a trip through the wonderful fruit and truck district of Eastern Texas.

The party will be headed by many eminent horticulturists, from the states of Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Iowa, Wisconsin and Kansas. Object will be to study fruit and truck conditions in the East Texas country at the height of the picking and shipping season.

This will be the biggest event of the kind ever undertaken—an invasion of the Texas fruit and truck country by Northern growers, who will be roundly entertained.

Reduced rates from St. Louis and from points on all railroads with connections for St. Louis. Special train will run on fast schedule and carry standard and tourist sleepers and chair cars. Everybody interested in fruit or truck growing will be welcomed. Make your arrangements at once and don't miss the great trip. Call or write for itinerary, cost of trip and other particulars.

COTTON BELT ROUTE.
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physical decay, strengthens the heart, enriches the blood, nourishes the vital forces and drives out disease. Doctors say it is "a form of food already digested," as it agrees with the most delicate stomach.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey cures coughs, colds, consumption, bronchitis, grip, catarrh, asthma, pneumonia and all diseases of the throat and lungs; indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles; nervousness, malaria and all fevers. It is prescribed and used by over 7000 doctors. Used exclusively in over 2000 hospitals. It is a promoter of good health and long life; makes the old young and the young strong. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey contains no fusel oil and is the only whiskey recognized by the Government as medicine.

CAUTION—When you ask for Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey look for the "Old Chemist" trade-mark and be sure the seal over the cork is unbroken. Cheap imitations are positively dangerous. Duffy's is sold by all druggists and grocers, or direct, \$1.00 a bottle. Medical booklet and doctors advice free. Address Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

Quick Comfort Refrigerators



The Cleanable, Ice-Saving kind. The kind that you can put all kinds of food in the same compartment without having one Taint the Other. Mould, Mildew, or other foul substances can not gather in the Walls of the "Quick Comfort" Refrigerator, as they are filled with Charcoal, the best purifying and non-heat conductor filling known.

"Quick Comfort" Refrigerators are no higher in price than the ordinary Hollow-Wall kind, and are made in all sizes, either Zinc-lined, Enameled-lined or Opolite-lined.

Ringgen Stove Co.

SIXTH, NEAR LOCUST

Div. of American Stove Co.

Pay Your Gas Bills at RINGGEN STOVE CO. It will save you time.

Rev. H. Steubenvoll, D. D., of Allison, Iowa, Considers Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey Should be Reckoned Among the Great Blessings of the Earth.

The Distinguished Clergyman Was the victim of a persistent Lung Trouble, Which Defied All Medical Treatment, but Today He Is Well and Strong, Thanks to This Grand Medicine.

"I Shall be Glad to Answer Inquiries That are Mailed Me in Regard to Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey; it is the Greatest Boon Known to Mankind." He Writes:

"I can say from my own personal experience that Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is the greatest boon known to mankind. I know of ministers and doctors who use it, and I have used it personally for lung trouble with signal success; in fact we are never without it in our home. I am glad to answer inquiries that are mailed to me in regard to your product, which I consider should be reckoned among the great blessings of the earth."—Rev. H. Steubenvoll, D. D., Allison, Iowa.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is an absolutely pure distillation of malt. It is a tonic stimulant recommended by thousands of hale and hearty old men and women. It arrests the progress of disease and drives out disease. Doctors say it is "a form of food already digested," as it agrees with the most delicate stomach.

UNITED EARNINGS GOOD

Decrease Is Shown Compared to Last Year, but Over 1903 Increase Is \$111,899.

The gross earnings of the United Railways Co. for the month of May were \$756,537, compared to \$841,006 for the month of May last year. The gross earnings for May, 1903, were \$644,457.

While the earnings for the month show a decrease of \$84,004, compared with those of a year ago, the figures are considered highly favorable, as last year the company was benefited by the increased traffic derived from the World's Fair visitors. The gain for the month over May, 1903, which amounts to \$111,899, shows the excellent increase in the company's business, as the World's Fair returns cannot be very well taken as a criterion for comparison.

EXTRADITION NOT COMPLETED

Cases of Gaynor and Greene Still Pending in Canadian Courts.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
MONTREAL, Quebec, June 7.—The mere fact that Judge La Fontaine has committed John F. Gaynor and Benjamin Greene for extradition on charges of defrauding the United States Government out of millions of dollars, does not mean the conclusion of the case.

Counsel for the prisoners have 15 days within which to file objections or take such other action as may tend to keep their clients out of the clutches of the United States authorities.

The case will be immediately brought before the Court of King's Bench on a writ of habeas corpus. In this manner the fight can be prolonged from court to court for some time.

LOST SPEECH RECOVERED.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
ELIZABETH CITY, N. C., June 7.—Mrs. R. E. Perry, who lives in Beres street, has recovered her power of speech after 18 days, during which time she could not utter a word. About two months ago she was prostrated by an attack of the grip, and the loss of speech was one of the ways in which it affected her. When she had recovered from the sickness she could not utter a word. Her tongue was paralyzed. Her people had lost hope as to her ever speaking again. She suddenly regained the use of her tongue and can now speak as well as ever and says that she is supremely happy.

Knox Tan Oxford for men, \$1. G. H. Bohmer Shoe Co., sole agents, 10-12 Broadway.

Her Trouble.

Tess: Mrs. Boarney doesn't really show her age at all, does she?
Jess: No; it's not surprising, considering all her trouble.
Tess: You mean it is surprising, considering all the trouble she's had.
Jess: No, I mean considering all the trouble she's taken to conceal it.

Schaper

Broadway and Franklin
The Store of Bargains

Underwear

Men's good Balbriggan Shirts, silk trimmed drawers, double seated, in plain and fancy colors. Odd lots from our 35c and 50c Underwear Special, for Thursday only. **14c**

Variety Sale Art Department

Having a large stock of the following articles we are going to give you a chance to buy at a great bargain as follows:
49c Pillow Slips for... 25c
25c Washable Slips for... 10c
59c Lambrequins for... 29c

Room-Size Rug Bargains!

We are overstocked on Room-Size Rugs; must dispose of the largest part of our stock this week. This includes our new fall line, direct from the best manufacturer in the world. A chance of a lifetime to buy a handsome Rug for less than cost.

75 Brussels Room Rugs
Woven without miter seams; size 10 1/2 x 9 feet; worth \$10.50—Our price... **\$7.75**

90 Brussels Room Rugs
Elegant medallion patterns; beautiful colors; this fall designs; worth \$15.00; our price... **\$9.98**

65 Axminster Rugs
10 1/2 x 13 feet; made of the best quality of Axminster carpet; every miter and seam guaranteed; anted; worth \$30; our price... **\$19.98**

110 Smyrna Rugs
Elegant patterns; all this fall's designs; suitable for any home; worth \$12.50; our price... **\$8.50**

75 Axminster Rugs
Size 8 1/2 x 12 and 9 1/2 x 12 feet; made of the very best carpet; well worth \$25.00; our price... **\$15.98**

175 Brussels Rugs
The popular 9 x 12 feet size; woven without miter seams and made of 10-wire tapestry; others ask \$18.50; our price... **\$13.75**

35c Jap Silk, 17c.
Bring this ad. with you and call at AISLE ONE, Main Floor, Thursday, and we will sell you a regular 35c White Jap Silk for... **17c**

15c Hose, 5c.
Ladies' and children's Black and Tan Hose, Thursday—bring this ad. with you and call at AISLE SEVEN, Main Floor, and buy 15c Hose for... **5c**

Bon Ami

The Best Scouring Soap Made

A Scouring Soap
A Metal Polish
A Glass Cleaner

BARGAINS IN LINOLEUMS, CARPETS, MATTINGS AND OILCLOTHS

A new lot of Oilcloths—the celebrated Everglade Oilcloths—worth 30c; at... **15c**
A better and heavier Oilcloth; smooth finish; worth 35c; at... **19c**
79 rolls of four patterns of heavy Linoleum; worth 85c; at... **49c**
270 rolls of very heavy Chinese Matting; worth 40c; at... **19c**
280 Tapestry Brussels Rugs; 9 by 12 feet; worth \$18.50; at... **\$13.75**

J. H. TIEMEYER, 514 FRANKLIN AV.

Reliable Dentistry GOLD CROWNS \$3.00

DON'T be deceived by dentists who claim to do painless work; our patented methods are positive. We take chances with others! All work guaranteed for 15 years. Established 25 years.

TEETH WITHOUT PAIN
SPECIAL PRICES FOR A SHORT TIME ONLY.
Set of Teeth... \$2.00
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Teeth extracted absolutely without pain. Acknowledged to be the easiest and best painless extraction in St. Louis. Positive guarantee of 15 yrs. Dr. T. M. McFarland, a full staff of operators to constant attendance.

NATIONAL DENTAL PARLORS, 720 Olive St.
Lady attendants. Open daily—evenings till 9 o'clock. Sundays 9 to 4 p. m.

ASKED HIS WAY, PICKED HER POCKET?

Mrs. Lulu Rickhart of 1309 Pine street, gave the police a description Wednesday

What the People tell the Grocers

"My customers are telling me some very remarkable things about the cereal food EGG-O-SEE, and I would be very slow to believe many of these statements if they were not backed up by purchases which really speak louder and have greater weight with me than all the things they tell me.

"I don't believe I have half a dozen customers who are not using it every day and they all tell me that it is the greatest thing in the way of food there is, and I know they are not joking, because they keep right on buying it, more and more all the time.

"I supply one large hospital with EGG-O-SEE and they use about twenty packages a day. They tell me that it has saved the lives of many patients as it was absolutely the only thing in the way of food they could eat.

"What everybody says is best, and what everybody buys for the best must be the best according to my way of thinking."

DUFFNER BROS. GROCERY CO.,
Per JACOB DUFFNER
1553 and 1555 S. Jefferson Ave.

The above are the words of Mr. Duffner whose integrity and business standing are as high as any in the whole country, and such words coming from such a man are certainly sufficient to warrant a trial of this great cereal.

of a man who, she thinks, took her purse while she was telling him the way to Olive street. Mrs. Rickhart was going to the home of a neighbor at 1321 Pine street at 9 o'clock Tuesday night when she met a man who asked her where Olive street was. She told him and went on.

When she reached 1321 Pine street she missed her purse, which had been in the pocket of her apron. It contained \$4 and earrings valued at \$25, besides papers.

GERMANY NEAR TO WAR WITH FRANCE

Moroccan Situation Deemed Most Threatening, Even in View of Delcasse's Retirement.

CAMBON MAY BE MINISTER

Former Ambassador to United States Candidate for Portfolio of Foreign Affairs.

PARIS, June 7.—That war with Germany over the Moroccan situation has been averted by the resignation of Minister of Foreign Affairs Delcasse by the narrowest of margins is the general opinion in French parliamentary circles. There are those, indeed, who think the differences between the two governments will be even yet almost impossible to adjust peacefully.

The Paris press is divided, some of the papers bitterly denouncing the Kaiser's interference with French affairs and pointing to the poor condition of the border defenses, while others advocate a policy of conciliation.

Jules Cambon, former Ambassador to the United States, and M. Barre, now Ambassador at Rome, are suggested as successors to M. Delcasse. Until a selection is made Premier Roubiev will fill the position.

11 off on Manhattan Special \$3.50 Tan Oxford for men at Boehmer's, 410-12 Bldg.

Rehearing Denied Condemned.

The application of Henry J. Heusack of St. Louis for a rehearing has been denied by the Supreme Court at Jefferson City and unless Gov. Folk interferes he will be hanged June 24. Heusack was convicted in May, 1904, of killing his father-in-law, August Raphael, who was 70 years old. The charge was that Heusack, under the influence of liquor, demanded money from the old man and on being refused, beat out his brains with a hatchet.

White Canvas Oxford for man, woman or child. See windows for prices, at Boehmer's.

Reversal of Judgment.

On Nov. 19 last Hazel L. Seileck, 4721A Cook avenue, filed suit for \$5000 damages against the Laclede Gas Light Co., alleging imperfect installation and defective connection of gas water-heater, claiming as a result of the misconnection and defective construction, etc., that the heater exploded and killed her. A motion for new trial was immediately filed, case was tried in Judge McDonald's Court on Tuesday and verdict set aside, the Court holding that there was nothing to warrant the judgment in the first instance. There was no proof of explosion of any kind.

Her Majesty's Oxford, \$3.00. H. Boehmer Shoe Co. sole agents, 410-12 Broadway.

Carries Money and Shells.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 7.—The steamer ship Mongolia, which is scheduled to sail for the Orient today, will carry treasure valued at about \$500,000. In the cargo is a shipment of several thousand boxes of shells for the Japanese naval vessels, on the way from England. F. P. Sargent, Commissioner of Immigration, will be a passenger for Honolulu.

Concerning the Safe Keeping of Your Money.

Nothing can be more unwise or dangerous than the keeping of spare money in your residence, your office, or carrying it about on your person. Such practices are a standing temptation to thieves or desperadoes, an incitement to personal violence of murder. Loss by fire is another element of risk, all of which the MERCANTILE TRUST CO., Eighth & Locust, can save you if you will place your spare funds in our Savings Department where it will be perfectly safe and earning interest at 3 per cent per annum.

Rode 10,000 Miles to College.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. EMPORIA, Kan., June 7.—Frederick Morse, son of Park Morse, a farmer, has just been graduated from the college of Emporia. During the four years he was in college he rode horseback more than eight miles every day, going to college and home again, and was not absent a day. Morse is 30 years of age. He estimates that he rode 10,000 miles.

Pile sufferers, it will pay you to read Dr. M. Noy Smith's ad on page 6. Send for free 100-page valuable book.

Granville Place Flats Sold.

John S. Blake & Bro. Realty Co. report the sale of the new and modern 11-room flat building 1304-1306A Granville place, with lot 30x125 feet, to Arthur C. Schultz, who bought for an investment, for the account of Louis R. McDermott for \$5000.

Miss Bresnham's Damage Suit. The \$20,000 damage suit of Miss Kathryn Bresnham against the Prudential Insurance Co. for alleged false arrest will be tried in the United States Court. It was transferred from Tuesday from the Circuit Court because members of the company live in other States. Miss Bresnham was cashier of the company under Sup. Edwin H. Fulton. He caused her to be arrested and tried on the charge of embezzling \$1500, but was acquitted.

White Canvas Oxford for man, woman or child. See windows for prices, at Boehmer's.

Smoke Inspector's Trip.

Smoke Inspector Jones will make his annual inspection tour next Wednesday, accompanied by two members of the Council, two members of the House, Mayor Wells, other city officials and a few citizens. They will take carriages and visit some of the larger plants where much coal is consumed. Councilmen Marks and Moellmann and Delcasse Crank and Hallock have been appointed to take the trip.

The Purity of Burnett's Vanilla

Was never imported to be used in any other way.

ROOSEVELT INVESTS IN VIRGINIA ESTATE

President Purchases Summer Home in Albemarle County, Near Jefferson Place.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

RICHMOND, Va., June 7.—A summer home or camp has been purchased by President Roosevelt. It is about seven miles from Scottsville in Albemarle County. There are 150 acres of land in this tract. On an elevation stands a small frame house, which will, it is expected, be used as a kind of

camp by Mr. Roosevelt, although it is reported that he has some idea of erecting a fine structure there.

It is said that Mrs. Roosevelt, with some of her children and a party of friends, will visit the place soon and stay there for a few days. The little house is beautifully situated in the Piedmont country, with the Blue Mountains plainly visible on every hand. There are within easy reach a number of beautiful homes, one of the nearest being that of United States Senator Thomas S. Martin.

It was impossible to ascertain what the President paid for the land, but it is understood that he bought it from a personal friend and that he regards it as a bargain.

Monticello, the famous home of Thomas Jefferson, now owned by Jefferson Levey of New York, is in Albemarle County.

THROUGH SLEEPING CARS

Via Illinois Central daily on and after June 25 to Petoskey, Bay View, Waukegan and Harbor Springs.

CLEARED IN COURT.

Henry Brosend and Employees Took Only What Belonged to Them.

Henry Brosend, grocer, 2306 Scott avenue, and Henry Whitaker, John Webber and William Hoffmeyer, employees of Brosend, who were arrested a few weeks ago charged with stealing junk from the grounds of the United White Lead Co., Twenty-third and Atlantic streets, were discharged by Judge Moore of the Court of Criminal Correction Wednesday.

The evidence was that Brosend had hauled some property of his own, a stove and other junk, from the company's grounds, and had been arrested by the company's watchman, who thought the property belonged to the company.

See our windows for reduced prices on boys' and girls' tan shoes. Boehmer, 410 Bldg.

THE NAME AND ADDRESS

Of the man who should be working for you?
Of the man who would gladly lend you money?
Of the man who would like to rent your house?
Of the man who would like to buy your horse?
Of the man who would buy an interest in your business?
Of the man who would buy that lot of ground?
Of the man who would buy your old bicycle?

Is in the
Post-Dispatch
Want Columns
Every Day.

WHOSE FAULT

If you do not see them?

Boys' 50c Knee Pants Thursday Only 24c a Pair



Through a most fortunate circumstance we secured seventy-two dozen more of those splendid Knee Pants that created such a furore here last week. They're made of wool Cassimeres in the new fancy pattern and color designs; also plain blues—pants that are well made, strongly sewed and just the thing for vacation and knock-about wear. There are only seventy-two dozen in all, and, as we wish as many of our patrons as possible to benefit by this banner offering, we will only sell two pairs to each customer—Pants that cannot be duplicated elsewhere under 50c—all sizes—Thursday, while they last, choice of any for

24c

Men's Underwear

50c and \$1.00 Garments for 33c Thursday.

It's time for you to lay aside those heavy undergarments and get into cool, refreshing, airy ones—this sale for Thursday only will bring you reliable garments far below their ordinary cost. We offer

Men's Lipen Mesh Underwear—Shirts or drawers—the strongest and coolest underwear made—white and linen color—worth \$1.00 per garment

Men's Ecu Bird's-eye Underwear—Elegant, cool and durable—shirts and drawers—latter reinforced—worth 50c per garment

Men's Black Balbriggan Underwear—Ankles with white silk and pearl buttons—worth 50c per garment

Men's pink, blue and lavender Underwear—also all-linen mesh undershirts worth 50c—Thursday only, at Famous—as an extra special trade incentive—choice of any, per garment



33c

Women's \$2.50 Skirts, \$1.25

Cool, airy and comfortable white wash skirts—a most sensible hot weather garment—made of linen finish duck in a good, serviceable quality—with twenty-five side plaits falling loose at bottom—graceful in hang and perfect in fit—each one of these skirts has been carefully tailored and is cut amply full and wide—\$2.50 is what they'd cost you elsewhere—to induce some lively buying in this section on Thursday, while 300 of them last, we will sell these splendid



\$2.50 skirts at the very special price of...

We advise you to come early, as these skirts will find many eager buyers at the above low price.

1.25

\$2 Hand-Made Hats, 87c

This is about the strongest millinery bargain you'll read about this season, and to share in its benefits it is necessary for you to call in person on Thursday, as no mail or phone orders will be filled on this item—tomorrow, and only while three hundred and forty of them last, we will sell women's hand-made (over wire frames) feather-weight, semi-trimmed black silk hats—with full shirred and tucked rims, and Austrian hair braid crowns—in three of this summer's newest and most becoming shapes—all that these hats require is a bunch



of flowers for trimming—they are worth and would cost you \$2.00 elsewhere—Thursday, at Famous, and only one to each customer—at the very special price of

87c

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BROADWAY & MORGAN
WE GIVE EAGLE TRADING STAMPS



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IS PECULIARLY ADAPTED FOR HEATING FLATS AND LARGE DWELLINGS
IT HOLDS THE FIRE OVER NIGHT, MAKES A QUICK HEAT IN THE MORNING AND BURNS TO LESS ASH THAN HARD COAL

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A Beautiful Present Given to the Ladies at Each Sale.

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ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

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T. R. means Theodore Roosevelt, not Taxation Reduced.

"Victory or harikari" seems to be the Japanese way of talking patriotism.

Secretary Taft is a very broad man who does not object to sitting down with his whole weight on St. Louis.

INGENUOUS SECRETARY TAFT.

Secretary Taft is an ingenious public officer. Although he declines as Secretary of War to take possession of the Merchants' bridge for violating the anti-consolidation clause of its charter, on technical grounds, yet he does not leave the long-suffering people of St. Louis without consolation and hope. He freely admits he may be wrong in his opinion and suggests that if the public thinks so it can mandamus him and compel him to do right.

The Secretary's reason for not acting is twofold: He finds that the corporate interests involved are large and important and that Congress was not happy in its choice of words. Although the bridge combines violates the spirit of the charter and defeats the intent of Congress, yet the wording of the act and the form of the combine constitute a technical obstacle to forfeiture. The shading of the phraseology does not quite fit the crime.

But the Secretary is not content merely with suggesting that a court might be induced to compel him to do his duty, but he strongly intimates that the case falls within the functions of the Department of Justice. He says that there is an apparent violation of the Federal anti-trust law, and that the Attorney-General might be induced to take up the job which the Secretary of War has declined.

So, if the Terminal Railway Association does not voluntarily abolish the bridge arbitrary, which the genial Mr. Taft doubtless hopes it will do, St. Louis has her remedy—she can try to mandamus the Secretary, in which event he will consent to obey the Court's orders, or endeavor to induce the Attorney-General to step into the ring which the large and smiling Mr. Taft glides around.

Now we understand why President Roosevelt selected Secretary Taft to sit on the lid while he was out bear hunting; he knew the Secretary of War was a magnificent accumulation of dead weight.

McGinty has had a feast of news during the past week.

TWO SWEET YOUNG GIRLS.

One day last week two old gentlemen boarded a New York street car. "Two sweet young girls" immediately rose and insisted that the newcomers take their seats.

One of these old gentlemen writes to the papers about it. He says that "just opposite were several young men, who allowed these delicate young girls to stand."

Are reverence, courtesy, kindness, passing to the keeping of "sweet young girls"? Have young men forgotten the teachings of their childhood? If so, it would be interesting to know how many sweet young girls there are to carry forward the traditions of good manners.

The obligations of courtesy require sacrifice by the strong for the benefit of the weak. Therefore, the strong man should yield his seat in the car to the weak woman and the old man. How many times is the rule obeyed in St. Louis? How many times within the week has the reader of these lines seen a man give up his seat to a woman? Ten times? Five? Once?

Let us pray that the sweet young girl be multiplied. We need her greatly wherever men have forgotten the obligations of manliness.

Until the czar knows his own mind less exalted people will doubt whether he has a mind.

A PETTY SWINDLE.

A reader in the Letters from the People complains of a petty swindle by news vendors who cry "Extra!" and give a false impression that the papers they are trying to sell contain sensational news. He protests against the swindle.

The Post-Dispatch heartily joins in the protest and will do all in its power to put a stop to the practice, as it injures the reputable newspapers as well as the public.

But it is impossible for a newspaper to maintain so constant and vigilant a watch that it can detect these efforts at petty swindling. The co-operation of the public and the police is necessary. All three together can put a stop to the practice. Persons who do it are guilty of swindling and obtaining money under false pretenses.

Chief Kiehl will direct the attention of the police to the matter and if the people upon whom these swindles are perpetrated will cause the arrest of the swindlers, the Post-Dispatch will see that they are prosecuted.

Peace is sweeter than "the bitter end."

COME AGAIN, DR. SCHERCK.

Dr. Henry J. Scherck, Chief City Dispensary Physician, has been giving the public of St. Louis instructions as to how to avoid heat prostration.

Abstain wholly from alcoholic stimulants, he says. Smoke moderately, if at all. Drink ice water slowly and in small quantities, if at all. Eat fruit and vegetables. Do without meat. Eat sparingly. Wear loose clothing and walk on the shady side of the street. Take a tepid bath before going to bed, letting the water gradually become colder.

This is a good program; a very thorough program. But what

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Letters on all matters of public interest not exceeding 100 words, will be printed in this department. To insure publication be brief. Most suggestions, complaints, etc., can be written in much less than the 100 word limit. "Bail it down."

Lying News Vendors.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Representing many victims when I protest against the confidence game practiced by evening paper men in going through residence districts late in the evening, shouting "Extra!" followed by some lying statement of a sensation. Last Wednesday it was "All about the assassination of Walla!" I am not penurious, and the amount of money involved in these petty swindles is their least hateful feature. I think publishers owe it to themselves to put an end to this practice. JAMES NELSON.

An Engineering Problem.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
If money was no object, would it be possible to build a bridge over the ocean? Please submit this to your readers. A CONSTANT READER.

Noisy Street Cars.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Is there any law to compel the street car company to haul their cars of granite blocks in daytime? Property owners on Easton avenue are long-suffering, as the cars are run over the switch at Marcus avenue at such a rate of speed that our houses are shaken and our nerves are reduced to shreds. Now, in the few hours between 1 a. m. and 6 we are awakened by the most brutal noises, caused by the switching of cars of granite around Marcus avenue, loud talking by the workmen, appeals to Tom and Jerry to hurry up, until

else is a man to do? If he devotes his time to carrying out these rules, when will he have time to work at his job?

There are two possibilities in this connection. He may, by following these instructions, escape sunstroke and starve to death, unless he has money, or he may be prostrated by heat while trying to figure out how to conform to these suggestions and at the same time never lose sight of payday.

These rules are good enough for a constitution to govern the summer; will Dr. Scherck now be kind enough to furnish the bylaws?

Kansas and Nebraska are the only states whose winter wheat crop for 1905 will exceed that of Missouri, which the Government estimates at 37,000,000 bushels, 10,000,000 more than in 1904, and 15,000,000 larger than in 1903.

MR. SWANGER DEMANDS AGAIN.

Secretary of State Swanger has come to St. Louis with another letter embodying the demands which he has made upon the officers and directors of the People's United States Bank. This letter differs from the letter which the Secretary wrote President Lewis of the bank on May 19 in the fact that it bears the great seal of the State of Missouri, which was lacking in the former letter.

But suppose the great seal of the State of Missouri on the face of the Secretary's demands does not overawe Mr. Lewis, who seems still to be the President and Board of Directors of the People's United States Bank by virtue of the proxies he holds from the stockholders, what will Mr. Swanger do then? Will he go through another program of conference and reiteration? Will he accept another agreement and issue another indorsement of the bank based on a promise?

The fact that the Secretary of State has written another letter and sealed it with the great seal of Missouri indicates that the promise on which he indorsed the bank's methods has not been kept and that the indorsement which he gave on the basis of that promise is of uncertain value. But it has been used as advertising matter by the bank's president. It has been spread abroad to make the public think that the Secretary of State is entirely satisfied with the conditions of the bank, whereas, in reality, he is repeating his demands.

What Mr. Swanger's demands require is not the seal of Missouri on his demands, but a man determined to do his duty back of them. He should insist upon immediate compliance with fair conditions and thus insure the protection of the public. How long will he dally with his duty?

The ruling of a wise Oklahoma court that no divorce can be allowed in a case where the husband complained of has only been reading and explaining the Bible to a charming widow will do much to check the alarming tendency to divorce petitions.

The Weather Observer is expected to do his duty these fiery days. If he promises to furnish coolness he must make his deliveries promptly. Only by making good can he retain the respect and confidence of suffering humanity.

POST-DISPATCH ANSWERS.

RULER.—Write but one question. Sign one initial. No business addresses. No hints. Only simple legal questions answered. Address all questions, "Answers," Post-Dispatch, Use postal cards if convenient.

G.—Question answered last Friday.

B. E. B.—Plural of survey, surveys.

C.—For minnow growth, fresh water.

A.—Width of Twelfth street, 150 feet.

ABBE ROGERS.—We give no investment advice.

ROY.—Soldiers' Home, Yountville, Cal., may be it.

HAMILTON.—Congress has made no national holiday.

READER.—See directory for Woodman Hall address.

READER.—United States are wealthier than France.

L.—Rain fell at 4:43 p. m. of May 27, 1896—before the damage by the tornado occurred.

E. B.—Broadway, north of city limits, is Hall's Ferry road, which forks with the Columbia Bottom road about half a mile north.

J. B. B.—To prevent gray hair, keep the hair and scalp in healthy condition by massage. There are dyes, but dyes are not advisable.

C. H. F.—States six legal holidays. Congress has created no national holiday. This has been stated over and over again.

What do you read?

OLD SUB.—There being no children, a husband's reality depends to the husband, the subject to the dowry right of the widow, who has a third interest during her life.

M.—A man at table contents gives a great shock to some people, and in a "time" house it might be well for the boarders to agree to some cool style for hot dinners in hot weather.

TOM F.—Official vote for Governor: Folk, 326,652; Walbridge, 29,652; Prohibition, 15,811; Bohrens, 11,031; White, Social Labor, 1442; Aldridge, People's, 2701. Folk's plurality, 30,106.

E. C. L.—Ink stains may be removed with lemon juice, both from materials and the fingers. In colored fabrics, however, care must be exercised lest the acid remove the dye and the remedy be as bad as the disease.

M. C.—We find no mention of a second wife of Gov. John Sevier, "founder of Tennessee." He married Catherine Sherrell and passed 35 years of wedded life with her. You might write Tennessee Historical Association, Nashville.

JOHNSON.—The placing of an apostrophe depends upon what is meant. A company of the sons of Isaac Faller would be understood by Isaac Faller's Sons Co. "Isaac Faller's Son's Co." might not mean a company of Faller's sons.

JOHN STRAKE.—Water surface in Missouri river at Herman, Mo., in April, 1904, 92 feet higher than water surface in Mississippi river at St. Louis. Water surface in Missouri river at Grafton, Ill., in April, 1904, 144 feet above water surface at St. Louis.

D.—Dominical or Sunday letters, the seven between a and g inclusive are used to mark the days of the week.

The first seven days of the year being marked by the above letters in their order, the following seven and all consecutive letters after seven to the end of the year are marked by the same letters, so that on whatever day the first Sunday of the year falls, the letter which marks it will mark all the other Sundays of the year. After 28 years the same letters return in their order. Exact is a number attached to a year by a rule of the calendar to show the age, in days completed and begun, of the calendar month at the beginning of the year.

coming from Granite City, and wonders how he got home. A little coin of the realm given him by the "Observer" would have settled that problem, and the golden rule would have worked very well for the observer. A great and good philosopher once said something about "casting the first stone." Better try putting our own hands in our pockets before we howl at someone else for their slowness in doing so.

MRS. BUTTIN.

Out Down the Weeds.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
I want to inquire through the People's Dispatch if it is that the city authorities do not compel property owners to cut the weeds on vacant property, especially when it is in a residence district, such as the corner of Dismar boulevard and Whittier street? There is a vacant lot at the corner of the above named streets, on which the weeds are almost as high as a man's head.

Such a sight would be a disgrace to a country town of 500 inhabitants, and it seems to me it should not be permitted in a city that is trying to reach the million mark.

I am not familiar with the city ordinances which are supposed to regulate such nuisances, but it seems to me that this is a thing which ought to be looked after.

Military Glory.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Why should there be a kick about the carrying of negro troops at the barracks? Is it not natural that the black should have more dignity military glory? Is not the negro exalted over everybody else, the weaker deserving everybody else may be? The negro is observing. He has noticed what is going on.

A WOMAN'S WORK.

A woman has a personal work and duty relating to her own home, and a public work and duty which is also the expansion of that. The woman's work for her own home is to secure its order, comfort and loveliness. The woman's duty, as a member of the Commonwealth, is to assist in the ordering, in the comforting, and in the beautiful adornment of the State. What the woman is to be within her gates, the center of order, the balm of distress, and the mirror of beauty, that she is also to be without her gates, where order is more difficult, distress more imminent, and loveliness more rare.—John Ruskin.

The Same Thing.

He: The trouble with you women is that you tell all you know.
She: Not all. Some of us merely tell what we want to.

He: Well, what's the difference?—Philadelphia Press.

Frilly Finance in the Home.

(By E. F. Flinn.)



In a Suit in the City Court Against the Husband of a Society Leader to Compel Him to Pay a Tradesman's Bill, the Husband Testified that He Did Not Pay His Wife's Bills, but Helped Her Out by "Giving Her Presents" at Christmas and on Her Birthday.

ALAST LOOK AROUND

Kansas City has opened its first free public bath. St. Louis, you're next!

The czar as a jingo without the ships is almost admirable.

The milk-fed egg is the latest exhibit of a St. Louis restaurant. Now give us the egg-fed steak.

The New York Actors' Church Alliance is engaged in providing more clothes for actresses. But will the actresses wear 'em?

There are 450,000 copies of Sunday School publications distributed each Sunday in the United States. This Sunday list is completely off.

James Dalrymple of Glasgow says that when his city took the street railways under its control nearly all the employees were discharged. Is that the brand of Socialism Chicago wants?

A great many children will die needlessly in St. Louis during this hot summer unless the people who can will subscribe to the pure milk and free ice fund. A few cents may save a baby's life.

A Chicago paper is publishing a series of articles from men and women who tell "How I lost my job." The man who makes a success of telling what a failure he is may be the next venture on the lecture platform.

ARE SIX BABIES ENOUGH?

President Roosevelt has indicated the metes and bounds of the family by numerous letters of congratulation to fathers and mothers of 12, 16, 20 children and upwards, and the public mind was reaching a sort of fixity and finality on the vexed subject. Now comes Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge, president of New York's Federation of Day Nurses with a dictum which upsets everything. She declares "the absolute limit of a woman's capacity for taking care of babies is eight, and she ought never to have more than six."

That she happens to be the mother of the six or eight has nothing to do with the question. It seems to be up to Mr. Roosevelt to answer Mrs. Dodge.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS 4400 YEARS AGO.

From the Utah State Journal.
Hammurabi, the sixth king of the Babylonian dynasty, compiled a code of about the year 2250 B. C., which showed a larger consideration for the rights of women than they were generally supposed, until recently, to possess in that remote period. A part of the code is occupied with laws that have to do with the person, those pertaining to the family being taken up first. In considering the relation of man and wife, after an enactment on the slander of a wife and one of the marriage contract, the code devotes a considerable section to laws governing the interruption of the marriage relation. In these laws, and those that follow on the rights of the wives, the interest of the family as an institution is closely guarded, but a noteworthy consideration for the rights of the woman is everywhere apparent.

A man who slandered a woman was to be branded on the forehead. A man who forced a betrothed woman was to be put to death and the woman was to go free. If a soldier be captured and there be no maintenance in his house for his wife, and she "enter into another house, that woman has no blame." In case, however, she have children, if later her first husband return, she shall return to him, but the children shall remain with their father. If a man desert his city and wife, and his wife marry another, her first husband, if he return, cannot lay claim to her. If a man wish to divorce his wife, her rights are clearly defined; he must give her money to the amount of her marriage settlement and he must make good to her the dowry which

NEW YORK NEWSPAPER VIEWS

This Morning's Comments on Today's News by the Leading Metropolitan Journals.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, June 7.—The World says: "It is a touching tribute that Pat Sheedy, one-time gambler, lays like a weath of immortals on the grave of his friend, Jimmy Hope. (Among other things done by Hope was to assist in robbing New York of \$400,000 worth of bonds). Hope was at the top of his profession, Sheedy says. But success in bank breaking never spoiled his character. There never was a 'whiter man.' He was always glad to help a friend out of trouble or out of jail. Best of all, Hope was 'honest in his stealings.'"

"That is not the way Dr. McArthur defends Mr. Rockefeller. He says that Mr. Rockefeller's most condemned 'transactions' are in accordance with the highest standards of commercial morality." Pat Sheedy might have said that Jimmy Hope's most condemned transactions were in accordance with the highest standards of safe-cracking morality." But he did not.

"Of course, it is impossible to reconcile Dr. McArthur's and Pat Sheedy's points of view. But, at least, Sheedy can think straight and speak plainly."

Why shouldn't Russia have a Senate and House instead of a Gosudarstvennaya дума?—World.

"A suit now before the courts of Moscow which grew out of the battle of Mukden throws light on the military discipline of the Russians, and may explain one of the causes of the feeling of so many of the Sun's subjects against the army," says the Star.

"The widow of an officer killed in the battle of Mukden has sued the general in command of a regiment for \$40,000. She

has brought proof that the general, while giving the order to retire, entirely forgot about her husband's detachment, which was therefore left alone and annihilated."

The Press, in predicting sensational developments in the land-grabbing prosecution, says: "Some of the operators' words admitting that they have acquired vast areas of public lands for their private property, declare that they have done so not by violating the land laws, but by taking advantage of their laxity. But people who make a business of the laxity of the laws are pretty sure to end by violating them. As to the laws referred to, while no man can be kept honest by law if he is determined to be dishonest, yet it really looks as if we needed a new set of land laws which should not be a constant temptation to dishonesty."

"As funny a piece of news as ever came over the cable was that explaining the curious position of Admiral Nebogoff, who is a prisoner of war in Japan," says the American. "His captors offered to parole him. He does not want to be paroled. They offered to let him cable to the czar. He does not want to cable to the czar. He likes it in Japan. He wants to stay there."

"And, when you come to think of it, why should not he? If he goes home he will be court-martialed; perhaps shot. Anyway, there is neither fun nor glory in coming home beaten (inde Gen. Suesedoff and Japan is a delightful country, far more up to date than Russia. Who knows but that some future generation may read of a great Japanese naval victory achieved by Admiral Nebogoffoyama? It would have been far better for Admiral Cervera to have remained with us. We admired him. His compatriots did not."

The legislation protecting an invalid wife is most humane: "If a man take a wife and she becomes afflicted with a disease, and if he set his face to take another he shall be liable to pay for the wife's maintenance, he shall not put away. She shall remain in his house which he has built and he shall maintain her as long as she lives." After an enactment that "a woman who brings about the death of her husband for the sake of another man shall be impaled," there follows a small series bearing on the various forms of incest, especially between a betrothed woman and her prospective father-in-law, and this is followed by regulation respecting breach of promise and the consequent disposition of the bride-price and the settlement the groom sometimes made upon his bride. The three sections which follow decide the disposition of these in case of the wife's death.

Maybe He Dreamed It.

In view of the announcement that the deficit is still growing, it is suggested that Secretary Shaw's talk about the money pouring in this month was merely a June "bug."—Washington Times.

OLD STORIES RETOLD

NO. 1.

Oedipus and the Sphinx.

THE Sphinx was one of the afflictions of the city of Thebes. It was a creature whose body was that of a lion and whose upper part was that of a woman. Its resting place was on top of a rock commanding the approach to the city and it stopped all who passed, proposing to them a riddle which they must answer or be killed. Years and years had passed and many were slain and still the riddle remained unsolved. Oedipus was the son of Laus King of Thebes, abandoned in his infancy because an oracle said that he was to kill his own father. He was picked up by the shepherd Polybus in the employ of the King of Corinth, and grew up believing that Polybus and Merope, his wife, were his own father and mother. When he had grown to manhood, he learned of the prophecy and believing it meant the death of Polybus and Merope, he ran away to Thebes.

On the way he met a train of people who rather insolently ordered him to take his chariot out of the road. He refused, and one of his horses was killed. This enraged him so that he fell upon the other party and killed them all. As the leader was Laus, he all unknowingly thus fulfilled the prophecy. As he came to the Sphinx he was halted as were all travelers, and compelled to listen to the riddle:

"What animal is that which in the morning goes on four feet, at noon on two feet, and in the evening upon three? Without any hesitation Oedipus replied:

"Man, who in childhood creeps on hands and knees, in manhood walks erect and in old age with the aid of a staff."

Whereupon the Sphinx was so chagrined that she cast herself down from the rock and perished.

HOW LANGUAGE CHANGES.

The original meaning of the word "trade" has been so far replaced by an acquired meaning that a popular error has arisen as to the derivation of the common term "trade wind." Webster's Dictionary says the trade wind is "so called because of great advantage to navigators, and hence to trade." Worcester's Dictionary explains it as "a current of air, or breeze, or commerce." But looking further back, the following extract from Skeet's Etymological Dictionary is instructive: "Trade wind, a wind blowing in a constant direction, formed from the phrase to blow trade, to blow always in the same course." A step further discovers that trade is "properly that path in which we tread." The M. A. (Middle English) words are "tred" and "trod," both in the sense of footmark. All from the A. S. (Anglo-Saxon), "trodan" is "tread." The following extracts show the early use of the term, two or three centuries ago, by the navigators of that time. Hakluyt wrote: "The wind blowing trade, without an inch of sail, we spooned before the sea." ("Voyages," published 1600.) Dampier said: "Trade winds are such as do blow constantly from one point or quarter of the compass. There are divers sorts of these winds, some blowing from east to west, some from south to north, others from west to east, and some from constant in one quarter, all the year, some blow one-half the year one way, and the other six months quite contrary, and others blow six months one way, and then shifting only eight or ten points, continue six months more, and then return again to their former stations, as all these shifting trade winds do."—Buffalo Evening Times.

He Knew Better.

Wesley Willis: His paper said that yet his tail he de bark at de foot of a tree bare old it.

Frayed Freddie: Huh! I guess de man dat wrote dat wuzn't never up a tree under dem circumstances. Dat ain't no way to tell a dog's age.—Philadelphia Press.



A STORY FROM THE
BUSINESS POINT OF VIEW.
COMPLETE IN SEVEN DAILY
INSTALLMENTS

SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.
Henry Morphy comes from Boston, Ill., to conquer Washington avenue. He is employed in the stock department of Henderson-Allyn Shoe Co. by Byron D. Allen, who is impressed by his qualities but forgets him. A salesman, Williams, tells Morphy that a bill of goods when Williams fails to land the customer and Mr. Allen transfers Morphy to the city sales department. Incidentally he invites the young man to a seat in the church pew.

CHAPTER III.

A Business Proposition.

HENRY MORPHY'S glass told her she was growing old. The message was delivered suddenly and was emphasized by a lack of residence after an all-night dance and all-day rest. She had been wont to live at a rapid pace, not knowing fatigue or slowness or ringed eyes.

She never lacked suitors in spite of an imperious temper, for good looks, gaiety of spirit and fine clothing distinguished her outwardly and it was known that she possessed money. Yet suitors were of small account to her; she felt no need to rely upon a man and had ever been impatient of caresses.

Now she realized that her time of choice between old maidhood and marriage was passing. To be free was good, to be an old maid was to be ridiculous—she laughed at a mental picture of herself surrounded by cats, living alone and finding occupation in charities.

As she reviewed the men of her acquaintances not one satisfied the requirements of her husband. Her brother-in-law, Byron D. Allen, came nearest to her ideal—a managing man who allowed his wife the fullest liberty in all matters that did not

affect their conventional relations to society, devoted, dominant, yet considerably rational. Imperious as was her temper, she yet demanded a more imperious husband. At dinner Mr. Allen talked a great deal of business. It was a subject he could never get out of his mind. Hetty closed her ears and thought of her own concerns. Tonight, however, he told a story that interested her. It was of Morphy, the country lad, who taught Williams—the premier salesman—the sell goods.

"And John says the old auction-house robber left the store like a repentant sinner leaving the mourners' bench," concluded Mr. Allen.

Hetty laughed. "Your story needed but a word, Byron. I thought all the time you were talking what a strange conglomeration of Henderson-Allyn advertising literature and Sunday-school book it was. But your Morphy interests me. Won't you bring him home some day?"

"I have invited him to sit in my second pew at church tomorrow."

"Then I must go, and, indeed, I have another reason for going. Alice Fichter is to sing. We haven't heard her for ever so long."

"You might have a better reason for going to the house of the Lord," Mr. Allen said severely, but he did not pursue the subject, as Hetty generally defeated him in argument.

It was her whim on Sunday to sit in the second pew arrayed in all her glory for the bedazzlement of Morphy. He was there before her and responded to her bow somewhat awkwardly, but was in no wise embarrassed by her magnificence or nearness.

He looked at her calmly, listened attentively but without absorption to the sermon and the music, and sang the one congregational hymn in his strong, untrained baritone. She affected difficulty in finding the hymn, but Morphy offered no assistance.

After the service Mr. Allen came to shake his employee's hand patronizingly and Miss Landon was introduced. Her eyes demanded the rite and Mr. Allen yielded, lest she take the initiative herself.

"This is our Mr. Morphy, Miss Landon," said the head of the house.

"Pleased to meet you," said Morphy, heartily, smiling and extending his hand for the hearty grip which in his world signified the beginning of acquaintance.

She yielded her hand to him with some reluctance, which the pressure he put upon it justified, but while she winced with pain she was humorously conscious of the man's vital power and attractive personality.

It was no task to talk with him and no art was needed to keep him by her side. Indeed, he accepted her as an ordinary incident of life and talked as freely with her as with a fellow employee in the store. He had Mr. Allen's absorbing interest in shoes and even to her great amusement commented on the style and cost of the pretty boots that peeped bewitchingly from beneath her skirt.

She tried to catch Mrs. Allen's eye when they gathered at the steps of the Allen mansion. She wanted the young man invited to dinner, but Mrs. Allen's eye wandered and would not see the command.

Morphy said again that he was pleased to meet her, gave her hand another crushing grip and, raising his hat, went his way as easily as one born in her social grade.

She gazed after him a long moment, her eyes sparkling.

"O Byron," she said, "that's a man." For the second or third time in her acquaintance with him Mr. Allen laughed heartily. He did not understand, but it tickled him to hear her gush over a youth from the stockroom of Henderson-Allyn.

At table she mimicked that youth grossly and led Mr. Allen to talk beyond his wont of an individual in his employ.

In the City Sales Department Morphy did nothing astonishing. He was given a territory that had been thoroughly worked and in which opportunity for expansion was small. Yet he did his best, hoping for a new assignment and perennially enthused. The bills he sold were small. He had the double task of getting the order and collecting the money. Few of his customers were entitled to any credit and other houses extended credit.

It irritated him seeing inferior goods on sale in his district and one day, availing himself of Mr. Allen's accessibility, he went directly to him with a plan. He spread a map of his district on the chief's desk and indicated large areas where not a Henderson-Allyn shoe was to be found for sale.

"It isn't because the people don't want our shoes," he said, "but other houses sell cheaper and give time. I don't believe in their methods, and yet without them we can't do business there unless you undertake a new departure. See here." He pointed to a thickly settled section. "There is the place I want to try my plan. A new store building is going up at the junction of these two principal streets. I want to open a Henderson-Allyn retail shoe house in that building, stocked by us and run by us for our profit and the education of the people. Here is another place for the same thing—a junction of three streets

and seven corners. The most desirable corner is for rent."

Mr. Allen swept the map aside and brought forth his thick pad of scratch paper.

"What are your figures?" he said, with the air of a man who will puncture the bubble of sophistry.

To his delight Morphy's plan was not a bubble, a dream, an unsubstantial thing, a half-formed idea. It was concrete with figures of installation, rent, lights, heat, clerk hire and probable sales, figured on the business of stores in the vicinity.

"You allow but a man and a boy to each of these stores," Mr. Allen said, glad to find a loophole for fault-finding.

"Clerks enough, sir, if we pick the right men. I can arrange to relieve and substitute for them myself in emergencies. We must have enthusiastic men who are not afraid of work and are eager for success."

"Morphy had a faculty for hitting upon those points of view which appealed to Mr. Allen. He loved hard workers; he preached enthusiasm. Capable of doing the work of three ordinary men himself, he expected equal strength and devotion from his employees."

The proposal was an innovation and in some sense dangerous to the position of the house with its customers, yet it was adopted.

On the day Mr. Allen came to a final decision and authorized the opening of this new campaign Morphy received a note from Hetty Landon, asking him to meet a few friends and hear some music in Mr. Allen's home.

Mrs. Allen demurred to the invitation, but Hetty's brain held a plan in which Morphy loomed large.

To Be Continued in the Post-Dispatch Thursday.

A STUDY IN NERVES.

A commercial traveler stopped at a well-known health resort and asked for a room at one of the best hotels in the town. The proprietor regretted that the hotel was full, and it was only after a long argument that he admitted there was a small spare room, separated by a thin partition from another room, in which a nervous man had lived for six months, says the Chicago Journal.

"But he is so nervous," said the landlord, "that I dare not put any one in that room. The least noise might give him a nervous spell that would endanger his life."

"Oh, give me the room," said the commercial traveler. "I'll be so quiet he'll not know I'm there."

The room was given him. He slipped in noiselessly and began to disrobe. He took off one article of clothing after another as quietly as a burglar. At last he came to his boots. He unlaced a boot, and then, manlike, dropped it.

The shoe fell to the floor with a great noise. The offending traveler, horrified at what he had done, waited to hear from the nervous man. Not a sound. He took off the second boot and placed it noiselessly on the floor. Then, in absolute silence, finished undressing and crawled between the sheets.

Half an hour went by. He had dropped into a dose, when there came a tremendous knocking on the partition.

The commercial man sat up in bed, trembling and disoriented.

"Wh-wha-what's the matter?" he asked. Then came the voice of the nervous man: "Hang you! Drop that other boot, will you?"

Women Tax Collectors.

Arkansas City always had trouble collecting its dog tax until it turned that function over to the Woman's Civic Club. Now everybody is falling over himself to pay his dog tax. Why wouldn't women make good assessors? A man likes to boast to a woman about how much he is worth.—Kansas City Journal.

Overeating

Eating is fine
But just wait
Full feeling follows
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That Fate's a gruff
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Reflections of Alas P. Yorick.

I have observed that "a good fellow" is good only as long as his money holds out.

There is all the difference in the world between a planter and a farmer—on paper. I have observed that the American flag, judiciously displayed, is a great applause-getter for an actor who cannot act.

I am fully convinced that the best temperance lectures in the world are delivered by men half drunk.

There is no more poetry in a thick ankle than there is in a bald head.

Nothing on earth looks more insipid than an exclamatory sentence without an exclamation point, unless it is a piece of blueberry pie.

I have discovered that there are fishermen who really catch fish, and who do not carry their bait in a jug.

I have observed that there is just as much vulgarity in private life as there is on the stage.

He Made Good.

It made the young recruit bot:
No wonder he was mustered.
The foeman peppered him with shot—
Right after he was mustered.

—Philadelphia Press.

Then when he couldn't stand the fray,
His feelings grew no lighter
When someone had the nerve to say,
"He's not a seasoned fighter."

—Detroit Tribune.

Though he was not a seasoned fighter,
He faced to "right about."
And after that was "all the mustard,"
Till he was mustered out.

It is said that in some towns in Spain 7 per cent of the people are humpbacked. But no wonder; look how they have had to hump themselves to keep out of the poor-house.

"Pansy" has written more than one hundred books of various kinds, but "Pansy" is a flower that was born to blush unseen, as far as most of us are concerned.

Our industrious Oklahoma cyclones have no loss of prestige to fear as long as Japanese earthquakes are able to kill only six at a time.

A new book is called "David Ransom's Watch," and everybody instinctively looks for the chapter on "How Much He Got on It."

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A Silent Argument.

A wanderer through South Carolina watched an old negro fishing in a brick-yard pond for 40 minutes, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer, during which time the hook was not pulled up.

"Do you think there are any fish there?" he asked at last.

"No sah; I reckon not."
"But you seem to be fishing."
"Yes, sah."

"But perhaps you are not fishing for fish. What is your object?"

"De obijck, sah, of my fishin' foh fish whah dey hain't any fish, is to let de ole woman see dat I hain't got no time to hoe de truck in de gyardin patch."

The Lot's Advantages.

Advertising Expert: I've written the praises of all these lots but one. I'm afraid you can't sell that one.

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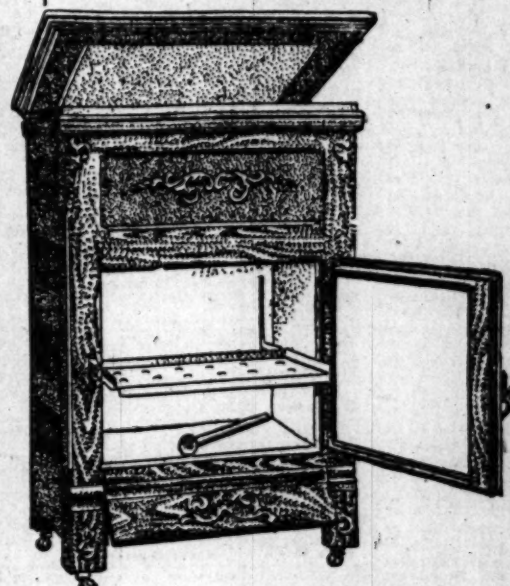
Expert: Why, it's on an almost perpendicular hillside.

Agent: Call attention to its wonderful drainage facilities.—Cleveland Leader.

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LEFT FORTUNE TO HIS HOUSEKEEPER

Peter L. Kimberly, Millionaire Steel Man Provides \$600,000 Legacy for Mrs. Asay.

CHICAGO, June 7.—Gossip is current among the friends of the late Peter L. Kimberly, the millionaire steel man who died of apoplexy Monday morning in the apartments of Mrs. Elizabeth V. Asay, 4638 Drexel boulevard, regarding the disposition of his fortune of \$10,000,000. Mrs. Asay accompanied the body of the dead millionaire to his family home at Sharon, Pa.

Before she left Mrs. Asay told her friends that she would inherit the bulk of this vast estate. Mr. Kimberly had lived in Mrs. Asay's apartments in the Virginia Building for four years. The only person who lived in the flat with them was Mrs. Asay's maid. They lived in luxurious style.

The will proved, however, somewhat of a surprise. It provides that Mrs. Asay shall receive 5 per cent of his estate after all his debts are paid. This will make her share about \$500,000. Friends say she will accept the provision in the will of Kimberly and would make no fight.

WEDDING JOKE IS TURNED ON JOKER.



When J. L. Delmore and Miss May F. Clarke were wed at the home of the bride's cousin, Miss K. Pfeiffer, at 2817 Cass avenue, at 6 o'clock Wednesday morning, the joke that one of the groom's relatives sought to play on him was nearly turned.

Mr. Delmore lives at 1312 Cleveland avenue, East St. Louis. The fact that he was to wed Miss Clarke was known to both families, and the date was set for June 14. Dan Mulcahy, a brother-in-law of Mr. Delmore, learned Tuesday that the wedding license was to be applied for Tuesday afternoon, and he hastened to the City Hall, introducing himself to the license clerk, told him of the application that would be made. He said that the prospective groom lacked several months of being 21 years old, and his parents objected to a license being issued.

When Mr. Delmore and Miss Clarke applied they were given the license without much pleading, but they learned of the trick Mr. Mulcahy had attempted. Then they determined they would not permit Mr. Mulcahy to see the wedding and it was hastened, and Father Connelly, of St. Teresa's Church, was asked to perform the ceremony at 6 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Miss Clarke was attended by her sister, Miss Emma Clarke, and the groom's brother, E. J. Delmore, was the best man. Mr. and Mrs. Delmore left Wednesday morning for Ohio, where they will pass two weeks before returning to their new home at 604 North Tenth street, East St. Louis.

FOUR ARE KILLED IN WRECK

Floods Cause Washout in Michigan and Work Train Is Ditched.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., June 7.—Floods

caused a washout on the Grand Trunk Railroad near Pewamo and a work train ran into it.

Engineer Everett Albert Carl, W. C. Crangow and J. E. Graham, employees, were killed.

Conductor Lawler was badly injured. Trains are tied up on this line and the service is badly crippled on the Pere Marquette, Grand Rapids & Indiana and Grand Haven & Milwaukee roads.

Rains continue to fall and the Muskegon, Flint, Menominee, Maple and Rouge Rivers are all out of bank and smaller streams are also doing great damage.

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From Judge.

She: You know this is the first time I've ever been in an automobile. Don't you feel as if you could keep going on like this forever?

He: No; I've had too much experience.

NET USED TO RAISE BODY.

Inquest on Young Singleton Drowned in Bradford Quarry.

A verdict of accidental drowning was returned by the jury at the inquest held Tuesday night in St. Louis County by Coroner Koch over the body of Julian Singleton, son of Police Sergeant Seth Singleton, who was drowned in Bradford quarry, St. Louis County, last Saturday.

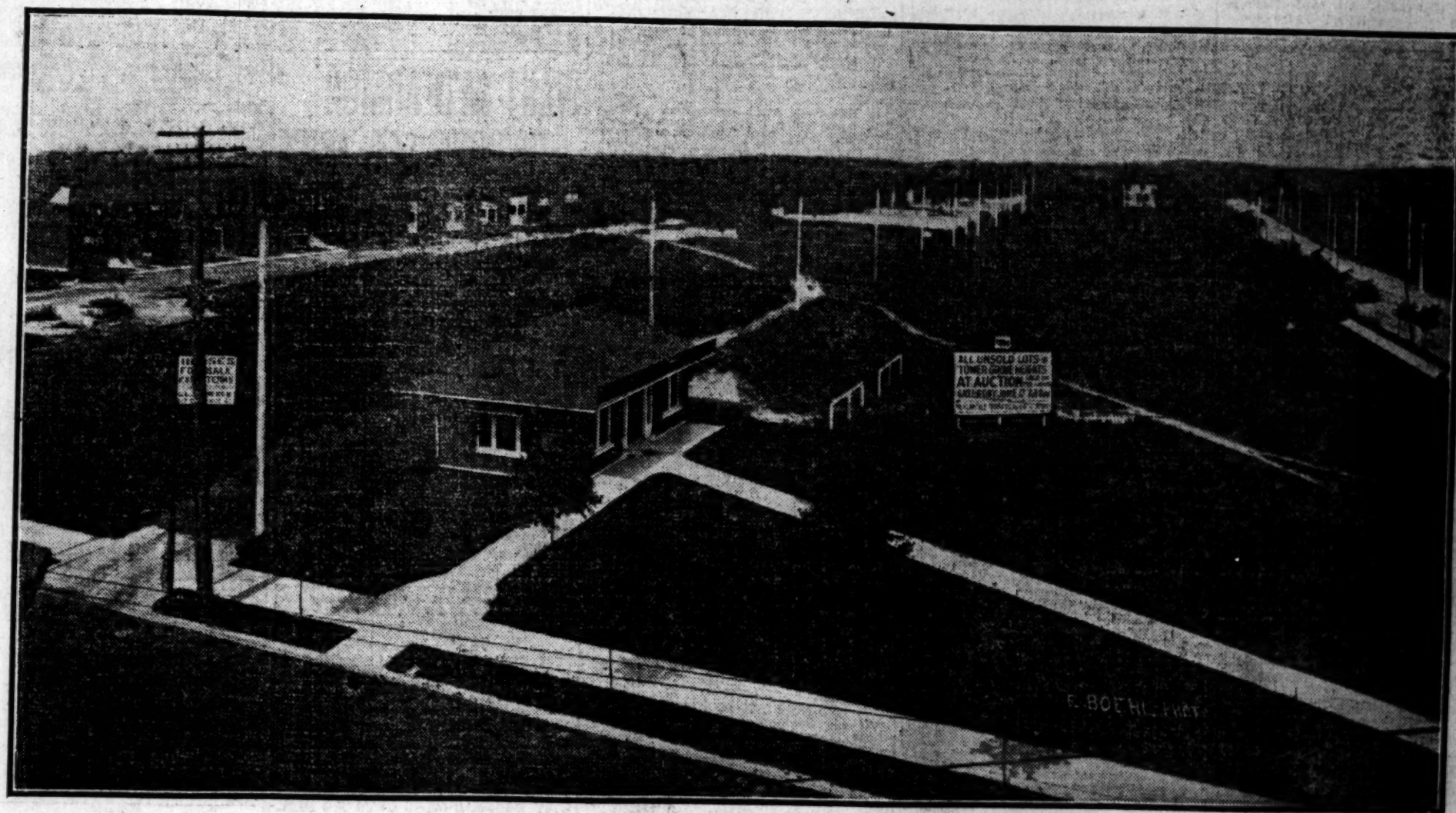
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Pile sufferers, it will pay you to read Dr. M. Ney Smith's ad on page 6. Send for free 100-page valuable book.

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FRIENDS SENT FOR THE UNDERTAKER

They Thought Lunski Was Dead and Were Preparing for the Funeral.

CORPSE BROUGHT TO LIFE

Doctor Called in to Write Death Certificate Surprised Mourners by Restoring Life.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, June 7.—After having apparently been dead for two and a half hours, Benjamin Lunski, 97 years old, a retired stock broker, was restored to consciousness long after a rabbi and an undertaker had been sent for. Lunski's almost miraculous return from death's shadow has in no wise affected his spirits and he says he believes he will live to be one hundred years old.

For the last two and a half years Lunski has been under treatment. He was constantly attended by a trained nurse. This nurse was so certain that her patient had died she packed up her belongings preparatory to leaving the house. Dr. Bockar, his physician, was detained on a surgical case until after 1 o'clock at night and when he returned home he found a telephone message which had been received at 11 o'clock that Mr. Lunski was dead, and asking him to furnish a death certificate.

Dr. Bockar decided to go to the house before making out the certificate. He found 15 or 20 of the friends of Mr. Lunski gathered in the parlor. In the bedroom Lunski lay covered with a pall and candles had been lighted about the bedside. Dr. Bockar was told that Mr. Lunski had died without a struggle and the rabbi and undertaker had been sent for and were expected at any moment.

The doctor asked to see the body. This was refused and he was told to wait until the precepts of the Jewish religion for anyone except the rabbi and the undertaker to touch the body. Dr. Bockar said that unless he was permitted to see the body he should have to refuse to issue the death certificate and must report the case to the coroner.

The friends of Lunski finally yielded. Dr. Bockar made an examination. By the feeble flicker of the candlelight he thought he detected a slight quivering of Lunski's right eye. Without calling in any of the friends gathered in the adjoining room, Dr. Bockar gave Lunski a slight injection of strychnine.

Soon Dr. Bockar saw unmistakable evidence of life. He gave another injection of the stimulant and by means of artificial respiration had the patient breathing slightly at 2 o'clock.

Dr. Bockar continued the injection of strychnine and the artificial respiration, shouting to the patient to breathe. "Breathe, now!" shouted the doctor to his patient.

His shouts alarmed the watchers in the outer room, who at first believed the physician was crazy. They rushed into the room and, after repeated urging by the doctor, assisted in the work of artificial respiration, until an hour later, or at 3 o'clock in the morning, Mr. Lunski was perfectly conscious.

Dr. Bockar said today that the patient was doing nicely and that by the end of the week he would be strong as usual. Mr. Lunski's friends were almost overcome by the thought of his narrow escape from burial.

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McNichols Acquitted of Murder.

After being out only 10 minutes the jurors in the case of Walter McNichols, charged with murder in the second degree, acquitted him in Judge Withrow's court Tuesday afternoon.

McNichols accidentally shot and killed Frank Wagner in Mike Howard's saloon at Nineteenth and Chestnut streets on Dec. 31. In raising a revolver from behind the bar the weapon struck the railing and discharged. The bullet struck Wagner, who died instantly. McNichols placed only three witnesses on the stand and addressed the jury for 10 minutes.

Knox Tan Oxfords for men, \$4.35. G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co., sole agents, 410-12 Bdwy.

Shot Through His Hat.

Annie Stolls of 2315 South Second street and Jacob Whaley are held at the Second District Police Station on charges of disturbing the peace. Whaley called on Miss Stolls late Tuesday night and was refused admittance. He tried to force his way in and it is said the woman shot at him. One bullet passed through the crown of his hat.

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